



## Editorials

## Feeding Tidewater's hungry

With the holiday season comes bright lights, family gatherings, and for many, an overabundance of good things to eat. But for 350 families, plus many more who go to churches, pantry and soup kitchens for meals, there may not be much to eat this holiday season.

Cindy Creede of the Southeastern Virginia Food Bank, the largest supplier of food to the needy in the Tidewater area including Virginia Beach issued an urgent call. She said this year, the Food Bank would have had to turn away hundreds of people because the bank simply did not have enough to go around.

There still is a need for non-perishable foods, like canned goods and packaged items.

The shortage occurred in part because supermarkets that used to send unsold food to the bank now must send it to reclamation sites.

However, a supermarket in Tidewater and many private groups rallied to the call and provided the needed food, preventing many families from going hungry.

There is a similar food need in Virginia Beach as well.

The Department of Social Services is sponsoring the "Holiday Project," which provided 425 Thanksgiving food baskets and 585 Christmas food baskets last year to needy Virginia Beach residents in the Social Services program.

But donors for the "Holiday Project" are needed. About 300 families were without sponsors at Thanksgiving. Individuals or groups wishing to donate food or sponsor a family for Christmas can call 431-3200.

In addition, the project needs volunteers to help with sorting and distributing the food for the Christmas distribution.

The food will go to senior citizens, the handicapped, and children whose parents have died, are injured, or who cannot provide food for the family.

Although there are many worthy causes to give to around the holiday season, the Food Bank and the "Holiday Project" are two which need more support this year.

"With some help, some Virginia Beach residents—and others in Hampton Roads—will not have to choose between 'heat or eat.'

## Keeping toys safe

Christmas is a time of anticipation and fun for Virginia Beach children, especially the joy of seeing new toys left by "Santa" under the tree.

But toys can also be dangerous, causing injury and even death instead of joy. There are several things Virginia Beach consumers may want to look for—and avoid—when buying toys.

According to the National Safety Council, the best toys are ones that have seven important characteristics:

- Toys with smooth, rounded edges.
- Toys that say "non-toxic" on the label.
- Toys that are resistant to shattering or splintering.
- Fire-resistant toys.
- Strong construction that will hold up to a lot of abuse.
- Electric toys with the Underwriters Laboratories marker.
- And according to the Virginia Cooperative Ex-

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tension Service, children in different age groups have different needs.

For infants, toys that squeak, honk and move without batteries are the best. Toddlers need more realistic-looking toys, like replicas of cars, dolls and dishes.

For children between ages three and four, toys do not need to be as realistic, and should be something that can be changed from day to day. Blocks are a good example.

Costumes that allow a child to dress up as police officers, firefighters, or other occupations are also good choices.

Elementary-school children can learn best from board games with specific rules. It is best to apply the rules loosely at first, until the rules are learned. Children should also be allowed to make up new games and new rules.

With the help of these guidelines, Christmas can truly be joyful for Virginia Beach children, and prevent the dangers of unsafe toys.



## Letters to the Editor

## Spence's position on lottery favored

Editor:

I like Mel Spence's position on a state lottery.

Mel is in favor of allowing Virginians to decide the issue in a referendum. He has assured me

that if the lottery is approved, he will cast his vote in the General Assembly for a state lottery.

Mel would like to see the proceeds from the lottery used for education and to eliminate

the sales tax on food for the elderly.

Mel Spence makes sense to me,

Colonel Robert A. Evans,  
USAF (Ret.)  
Virginia Beach

## Virginia death penalty unfair to prisoners

Editor:

This is to request your help in informing and educating Virginia government officials and community leaders about capital punishment, and to ask for your mercy and compassion when it comes to assigning the punishment to prisoners.

I make this request because the selection and use of capital punishment in Virginia is defective and unfair for these reasons:

• Its assignment is arbitrary and capricious, because similar crimes in other jurisdictions, or in the same jurisdiction have not resulted in death penalty proceedings, and because there are no controls, standards, or defenses in the initial conception and selection of these proceedings.

The selection of the death penalty is at the political and personal interests and prejudices of prosecutors and their staffs. They may be influenced by public pressures or human errors.

Moreover, some prosecutors are known to strongly favor executing prisoners, whereas others are known for judicial reason and moderation, and in some cases mercy and compassion, when it comes to selecting prisoners for death sentences in Virginia. Therefore, who is assigned a death sentence depends more on who the prosecutor is and what his prejudices are than the facts in the case.

The Virginia criminal justice system's death penalty requires by its very nature discriminates against minorities.

Samuel Gross and Robert Mauro of Stanford University have shown that in Virginia, a person who kills a white person is eight to 10 times more likely to be sentenced to death than one who kills a black person.

William J. Bowers and Glenn L. Pierce of the Center for Applied Social Research at Northeastern University found that the race of both the offender and victim had a tremendous impact on the chances that a death sentence would be handed down—"black killers and killers of whites are substantially more

likely than others to receive a death sentence."

Some evidence of this discrimination is found in the fact that today, minorities make up over 60 percent of Virginia's death row prisoners.

Also, 83 percent of all the prisoners executed in Virginia have been black, and 73 percent of all those killed in Virginia's electric chair since 1908 have been black.

Virginia has also executed more prisoners and more women than any other state in our nation.

Since the death penalty is absolute, while its application must always be imperfect, it should not be used, as it is not used in a number of jurisdictions, states, and countries.

At the very least, it should be a very rare punishment for rare crimes, inflicted for overriding reasons of great public interest and only after every procedural safeguard is observed. This is especially not the case in death penalty proceedings in Virginia.

• Criminal justice systems, Virginia's being no exception, are not sufficiently reliable to merit the finality of death.

Some recent news reports showing the unreliability of judicial systems are the cases of Hurricane Carter and George Merritt of New Jersey. The literature is full of similar sad examples.

And to rectify the injustice of the few that are lucky enough to be discovered requires years of work by pools of attorneys, as happened in these two cases.

A recent study has shown that even in death penalty cases where the prisoner has been found innocent, it has taken years to have the innocent person released from prison. The guilty person in these cases, for the most part, was never prosecuted for his capital offense.

The current practice of granting immunity to accomplices in capital cases, in return for their testimony against defendants, is blatantly biased against defendants. The testimony of a witness, whose own freedom and life

depends on shifting the blame to someone else, can only be unreliable.

The current practice of allowing only death penalty advocates to serve on capital juries that determine the innocence or guilt of a defendant, not punishment, ensures that only the most vengeful people serve on such juries.

Rigid adherence to procedural rules during appeals to death sentences, especially, in following Virginia's contemporaneous objection rule that prohibits the introduction of new evidence of issues, cannot but make a mockery of fairness and justice.

The lack of review of the whole trial for serious errors by the Virginia Supreme Court ensures unfairness, and explains in part why this unnecessarily over-conservative Court upholds death sentences 87 percent of the time, as compared to the national average of 52 percent, and does so faster than any other state supreme court in our nation.

• Prisoners selected for the death penalty in Virginia receive the "bare bone" minimum of legal assistance, and as a result, are selected to be executed.

This lack of adequate defense in Virginia in capital cases is shown in part by the average \$687 fee paid to court-appointed defense counsel for indigent prisoners, the only kind that are selected in Virginia for the death penalty.

This fee is the lowest in the nation. It does not take much to understand that it cannot buy much defense, particularly when prosecutors have almost unlimited resources and financial means to obtain a death sentence.

• Not recognizing the rights of the condemned to appeal their sentence beyond the Virginia Supreme Court shows an innate unfairness in Virginia's prisoner death assigning proceedings, and a vengefulness that is not necessary.

• Opponents of the death penalty are not allowed to testify at death penalty proceedings or in any way voice their opinions and

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Reporter's Notes  
By Stephanie Beyer

## Imagination

I have lived most of my life in the world of imagination. I don't mean to say that I'm walking around with my head in the clouds, but I am a very avid book reader, and I have started to write more novels than I care to think about.

As a child, my favorite companion was an invisible black horse I rode to school every day. I had read almost all of Walter Farley's "Black Stallion" stories, so I just adopted his black Arabian as my own. I even wrote a few horse stories, although I had never been on a horse in my life.

In fact, the whole reason why I went into journalism was because I have never wanted to do anything else but write. My basic philosophy about journalism is that everyone has a story to tell, and my job is to get people to tell that story to me.

Naturally, pure journalism is much more factual and straightforward than writing fiction (although some critics of the press insist there isn't much difference), but it is still just as exciting to discover a real-life "character" and put his or her story down on paper as it is to make something up.

My mother claims that the first story I ever wrote back in kindergarten showed where I was headed. It was close to Thanksgiving, and the teacher asked us to write about Pilgrims, turkey dinners, and all the other things associated with that holiday.

While the other kids wrote about sitting at the table, eating turkey with their families, I sympathized with the turkey.

In fact, in the story, I was the turkey. It ended with the gory lines, "The farmer cut off my head."

I get kicked about that story every Thanksgiving, because my mother always brings it out to show the relatives, in case they've forgotten it from last year.

But right now, I'd like to share my column with two aspiring young writers in the third grade at King's Grant Elementary School. Their teacher, Mrs. Sandra DesFosses, sent in two stories her students wrote.

I am leaving the stories exactly as they were written, except for putting them in paragraph form.

## A Chalkboard?

When I got out of bed and was brushing my teeth, I looked in the mirror and discovered that I had turned into a chalkboard with one mouth, one nose, two eyes, two ears, two legs, and two arms.

I screamed, my mom ran into the bathroom and was screaming, then my dad ran in and he yelled!

My mom asked what happened. I said: "I don't know, I got up, I looked in the mirror and I was a chalkboard."

"Well," said my mom, "You'll still have to go to school."

"What?" I asked. "I'm going to be so embarrassed!"

After I got ready for school, I got on the bus and everybody yelled! I said it was me, they sort of understood, nobody sat by me.

When I got to school, everybody took chalk and wrote on my face!

"Ow! Hey stop that!" Soon I was eating chalk dust. "Gross!"

When I got home, I went to sit down for dinner. When I picked up the fork, and opened my mouth and took a bite, the food tasted like chalk dust again! It was terrible!

This story was by Shannon Ospahl, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ospahl.

## Christmas Day

George came running out of his room and said, "Let's go look at our presents." Tommy, his brother, was running behind him. George ran in and looked for a present. His parents had just went up.

They said, "Tommy and George don't get too carried away!" So they got out of bed and went into the den.

George was opening his fifth present and Tommy was on his

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## OP-ED

## Excellence in education; a plan for Virginia

## LET'S TALK



By Rob Jones, president, Virginia Beach Education Association

The Virginia Education Association's fall instructional conference focused on the report of the Governor's Commission on Excellence in Education. There have been many public education reform reports generated since the first report, "A Nation at Risk," was published and publicized.

What makes Virginia's report on Excellence in Education especially promising is the fact that the makeup of the commission included the members of the state Board of Education along with other prominent citizens of Virginia.

The leaders in our state, who are in the position to affect the course of public education into the 21st century for Virginia, are the ones who reached a consensus on the reform initiatives that are contained in the commission report.

The remaining factor, funding, lies in the hands of the governor and the General Assembly. At this point in time, Gov. Baliles has been relatively silent on the cost ramifications of the report.

Individual General Assembly members have grumbled that the state has other pressing needs in addition to public education.

Hopefully, as the costs for the

various proposals are defined and refined, these decision-makers will continue to realize that investments in public education bring jobs and economic prosperity to the state many times over.

What are the major recommendations in the Commission on Excellence in Education report? The report is broken down into six sections.

**Breaking the Cycle of Illiteracy and Disparity** is the title of the first section.

The commission recommends that Virginia's school divisions provide voluntary developmental preschool programs for 4-year-old children; that literacy tests in reading, writing, and arithmetic be conducted in grade six, with a "Literacy Passport" issued to those who pass and that remedial programs, including summer school, be mandated for students who score in the bottom one-fourth of the tests.

**Lifting the Level of Teaching and Leadership**, the second section, calls for a rigorous undergraduate degree in an arts and sciences discipline to be required for all teachers.

The commission wants education courses to be limited to 18 semester hours. The commission recommends that all colleges and universities review and restructure their programs for education teachers.

The commission asserts that Virginia must have competitive teachers' salaries that will attract and keep highly-qualified teachers. To further the realization of this goal, the commission wants Virginia to provide financial incentives to school divisions for developing and implementing ways to keep effective teachers in the classroom.

The commission also sees the principal as the most important person in the school. Consequently, they recommend that graduate programs in school administration provide more emphasis on leadership skills and teacher evaluation, as well as an

assessment program for all principals applying for re-certification.

The next section is titled **Taking Advantage of Technology**. The commission calls for the employment of an assistant superintendent for technology to develop and direct a detailed five-year plan to make educational technology an integral part of public education.

Electronic classrooms are recommended to be available to all schools from the state's five educational stations. They recommend that teachers in the middle school grades be provided with a microcomputer for the classroom and instruction.

The commission wants the Virginian Public School Authority to initiate a loan program for providing financing to school divisions for computers, video equipment, satellite transmission receivers, video-disc players, and other technological equipment.

**Strengthening the Crucial Link** is the fourth section in the report. In this section, the commission recommends that the Department of Education begin immediately to restructure education in the middle schools.

The commission further recommends that all school divisions take measures to reduce their dropout rates, with special emphasis on assisting students in middle school who are potential dropouts.

The final sections of the report, **Keeping Score and Being Accountable** and **Making It Happen**, call for the redefinition of the duties and responsibilities of the board of education, the superintendent of public instruction, school boards, superintendents, and principals.

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To ensure that all possible progress is made on its recommendations, the commission calls for an oversight committee to review the efforts of the state in implementing the recommendations of the Commission on Excellence in Education.

In concluding its report, the commission stated, "This report contains guideposts for making Virginia's schools among the very best in the nation. Thomas Jefferson, even prior to his governorship during the American Revolution, wrote, 'that free government rests, as does all progress, upon the broadest diffusion of knowledge...' There are additional reasons that compel us now to exhort Virginians to lift the level of teaching all of our schools. Our students must be better prepared to live and work in a highly competitive, technological society. Virginia must be able to compete in the national and international marketplace."

"Implementation of the suggestions made in this report will require bold leadership at every level of government in the Commonwealth and at every level of our system of education. But the future of public education in Virginia, in the final analysis, will be determined by the people of Virginia. We believe that a public school system in the first rank of states is within Virginia's reach and that bold action at this time can achieve fulfillment of Jefferson's vision and also prove a wise investment in Virginia's future."

## Photos, films wanted of Virginia Beach fires

Fire Safety  
By Martin Grube  
Master Fire Fighter

fire records were either lost or destroyed. If anyone has any history of fires in Virginia Beach, I would like to talk with you.

Has anyone ever been to a fire museum? Almost every large fire department has a museum for the collecting and storing of that department's history. Fire museums are very educational and enlightening.

The nearest museum to Tidewater is in Richmond. Would Virginia Beach residents like to see a fire department museum built in Virginia Beach? This museum would be dependent solely on private donations.

Please write me and give me your viewpoints on a fire department museum: Martin Grube, 3603 Addison St., Virginia Beach 23462.

## Crime Solvers seeks attacker



## Living life in the imagination lane

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fourth. They were very excited. They knew a secret.

George and Tommy got up off the floor. They got out a special present. It was a beautiful statue. It was a statue of a man and a woman standing together.

Their parents said, "A great big present deserves a great big hug!"

This story was by Kate Moe, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Moe.

I hope more aspiring student writers will send their work to The Virginia Beach Sun. Maybe

one of the names appearing in The Sun will one day be on the best seller list!

I am less happy to say that as of this week, my writing career with The Virginia Beach Sun will come to an end.

For personal reasons, I decided two weeks ago to hand in my resignation.

I have to say, though, that I have enjoyed working in Virginia Beach—in fact, I've become very devoted to the city and the people that I have been fortunate to meet.

## Death penalty has major disadvantages

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facts in what is a closed judicial system in assigning the penalty.

• There has never been a full and impartial public hearing or inquiry on the establishment and use of the death penalty in Virginia.

• The death penalty in Virginia is only used against the poor and uneducated, and usually against prisoners who are mentally deficient or who have limited intellectual capacity.

• The emotionally-laden aggravating circumstances variables, "future dangerousness" and "wilfulness" needed to impose death sentence in Virginia mean whatever a prosecutor wants them to mean. They are not defined by any judicial or legal standards or requirements.

And although the American Psychiatric Association prohibits its members from making predictions on future dangerousness because they are so unreliable, Virginia mental health professionals have made, and continue to make, such predictions. The results have sentenced prisoners to death.

Moreover, no expert witnesses are allowed to testify in death penalty proceedings to the association's position that such predictions cannot be made.

• Virginia government officials allow the execution of the mentally ill and of children to the age of 15 years.

Black children as young as 12 years of age have been executed in Virginia. Prisoner Morris Mason, although mentally ill,

was executed on June 25, 1985. He was reported to be a mentally retarded paranoid schizophrenic with an IQ of 66.

• The "willingness of the courts and state governments to expedite proceedings in order to bring about speedy executions" has made it hard for defendants to appeal errors by judges and by their own lawyers. They are denied an adequate opportunity to present their defenses.

Moreover, the courts have "implemented a scheme in which capital defendants receive less time to present their cases to the court than noncapital defendants." (Justice Thurgood Marshall, New York Times, September 7, 1985).

• Local defense attorneys in death penalty cases are not trained or experienced in providing sound and complete legal counsel. They are "unfamiliar with the special rules that apply in capital cases" and "make serious mistakes." (Justice Marshall, New York Times, September 7, 1985).

Moreover, the Commonwealth of Virginia and none of its bar associations have ever taken any steps to educate and train these defense attorneys, so that fair and adequate trials are conducted for prisoners picked for death sentences.

• These death penalty proceedings threaten my freedom and liberty and dignity and the democracy I now enjoy because they are a sort of open and public dress rehearsal for the violation of all human rights.

That is, they end in the torture and killing of prisoners under the

appearance of doing something about violent crime, without having to touch in any way the basic structures and relations in society, which might actually have something to do with these crimes.

Each time a prisoner in Virginia is considered for a death sentence or is executed, many of us recall the words of the distinguished Soviet physicist and crusader for human rights, Andrei Sakharov.

Although strong words, they address some basic issues well:

"I regard the death penalty as a savage and immoral institution that undermines the moral and legal foundations of a society."

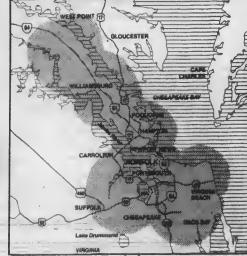
As a state, in the person of its functionaries, who like all people are inclined to making superficial conclusions, who like all people are subject to influences, connections, prejudices and egocentric motivations for their behavior, takes upon itself the right to the most terrible and irreversible—act—the deprivation of life.

Such a state cannot expect an improvement of the moral atmosphere in its country. I reject the notion that the death penalty has any deterrent effect on potential offenders.

I am convinced that the contrary is true—that savagery begets savagery.

Thank you for allowing me to bring this serious matter to your attention.

William P. Menza  
Amnesty International Group  
Coordinator On The Death  
Penalty

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**FRONT PAGE**

**Nguyen Lan, center, stands with her foster parents, Robert and Mary Anne Goodwin outside their Aragona Village home.** Photo by Stephanie Beyer.

## Vietnamese girl member of Beach family

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get them out of the country.

Although the Goodwins said they are pleased to have Lan be a member of their family, and happy with the Connections program, they would probably not take in another foster child.

The reason, according to Mary Anne, is there just isn't enough room. The Goodwins recently added a second story to their single-story home to accommodate all seven family mem-

bers.

Peters said families who take in foster children have to undergo a home study program, which includes an interview with a social worker and medical exams for the entire family.

The foster children can stay with the family until they are 18, unless they go on to college or vocational school, Peters said.

Mary Anne said she found out about the Connections program through the Bayside Junior High newspaper.

She said there wasn't any real reason why they decided to be a foster family, except that there was a need for families.

"Actually, what's one more kid?" she said.

The Goodwins also had an American boy stay at their home temporarily, while another family was finishing the home study program.

"They're excellent kids," Robert said of his two foster children. "They're ideal."

## Civic league plays a part in uniting tiny Ridglea

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year the league has had the candlelit sidewalk, and he said it tends to encourage people to walk around the neighborhood and visit friends.

Most of the community seems to favor keeping the league structure in place, according to Leon.

He said, however, that most of the residents are business or

professional people with families, and are usually too busy with their responsibilities to be very active in the league.

About 50 percent of the residents are regular members of the league, but Leon said when the league solicits for members, they can get 75 percent of the residents. He said about 90 percent are listed in the league roster.

Right now, he said the league's main concern is to keep as active as possible.

Recently, the league was involved in the bond referendum and sponsored a petition for direct election of the mayor. Leon said most of the community's concerns have been cleared up since the new city council took office.

## PEOPLE



**Hunting paper turkeys**

Peggy Johnson takes aim at a paper turkey for the Beach Senior Center "Old Fashioned Turkey Shoot" at Bow Creek Recreation Center. The senior who shot the most turkeys with the plastic darts won a prize. Seniors also enjoyed a complete Thanksgiving meal after the contest. Photo by Stephanie Beyer.

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## Holiday program reaches out to foodless families

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city departments, schools and school clubs, hospitals, and the Virginia Beach Jaycees, who are putting on a Christmas party so needy children can shop for presents. Hawver said this year, there has been an increase in the number of individual families who are sponsors.

Stevens said those who do not want to sponsor a family can send in donations of food or gifts. The program also receives food from the school system and canned food drives.

Approximately 800 families and individuals have been referred to the "Holiday

Project" this year for just Thanksgiving food baskets, Hawver said. She said about 500 of those families are being helped.

Last year, the program distributed 425 Thanksgiving baskets and 585 Christmas baskets.

Stevens said the goal is to help all the applicants by Christmas, especially those who could not be helped at Thanksgiving.

The program still needs sponsors as well as volunteers, according to Stevens. The program presently has 12 volunteers, who work one day a week for six hours a day.

"They really have been great,"

Hawver said.

The program itself began about 16 years ago. Before then, according to Stevens, social workers just organized things individually to help families they know. She said as the city grew, the project grew too large to be handled individually.

The benefits from "Holiday Project" sometimes extend beyond Thanksgiving and Christmas. Stevens said some of the sponsors keep in touch with the families all year, coming in to lend a hand when they see a need.

In addition, any leftover food is distributed through Social Services for the rest of the winter, she said.

## Anniversary of Constitutional Convention remembered

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terstate commerce.

Based on the report of that meeting, the General Assembly on Nov. 23, 1786 approved an act for appointing Deputies from the Commonwealth to a convention proposed to be held in the City of Philadelphia in May next, for the purpose of revising the Federal Constitution.

The authorizing act contains interesting language. In its first section, the General Assembly concludes that they "can no longer doubt that the crisis is arrived at which the good people of America are to decide the solemn question, whether they will be wise and magnanimous efforts reap the just fruits of that independence, which they have so gloriously acquired...and to confer such further concessions and provisions, as may be necessary to secure the great objects for which that Government was instituted, and to render the United States as happy in peace, as they have been glorious in

war."

Section II of the act authorizes the appointment by secret joint ballot of both Houses of Assembly seven Commissioners, and set a quorum of three to act as deputies from the Commonwealth, to meet with the deputies from other states in Philadelphia.

On Monday morning, Dec. 4, 1786, the House "proceeded by joint ballot with the Senate, to the appointment of seven deputies from this Commonwealth, to a Convention..."

When a committee to examine the ballots returned from the conference chamber, it reported that it had found a majority of votes in favor of George Washington, Patrick Henry, Edmund Randolph, John Blair, James Madison, George Mason and George Wythe.

These seven were officially named deputies to the Constitutional Convention of 1787.

Governor Randolph, however, found it necessary in May to appoint Dr. James McClurg to

replace Patrick Henry, who declined his appointment.

There has been much speculation about this appointment. While Dr. McClurg was unquestionably a brilliant man, having graduated from William and Mary with high honors at the age of 16, he had absolutely no political experience. In any event, McClurg soon realized that he was ill-equipped for his role, and departed for good in July.

George Wythe also left before the Convention ended. In fact, he went home in June to be with his dying wife, and never returned.

Of the five Virginians who stayed to the end, two—George Mason and Edmund Randolph—refused to sign the final document. There is no record that James Blair ever spoke during the deliberations from May to September, but by adding his name to those of George Washington and James Madison, the necessary quorum of three was met. Thus, the Commonwealth was officially recorded in favor of the Constitution.

## Brite honored for contributions to hospital

**Joseph W. Brite**, a Virginia Beach resident and a heating and air conditioning technician who retired from Exxon Corporation U.S.A. in 1971, has been honored by the company for his contributions as a volunteer to Leigh Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Brite has donated more than 700 hours of service to the hospital in the past two years.

## Ralph named associate pastor

Pastor Bill Ralph has been named as associate pastor for the Open Door Chapel on Virginia Beach Boulevard.

Ralph graduated in 1973 from Southern Seminary. He has been

the associate pastor of the First Baptist Church of Virginia Beach.

Ralph and his wife, Rosalie, have a radio ministry on a local station called "Marriage, Christ Style."

## Vargus named inpatient services director

Toni M. Vargus, of Virginia Beach has been named director of inpatient administrative services for Norfolk General Hospi-

tal.

Vargus will be responsible for coordinating all activities and services provided by the department.

## Grandparents can give tradition

The gift of traditions is one of the most important that grandparents can pass on to their grandchildren.

"Children like to know where they came from and what hap-

pened in the family," said Janette K. Newhouse, a specialist in adult development and aging.

Some special ways to pass on traditions have been around a long time. Many grandparents make and give quilts designed

## Leger named manager of Back Bay Refuge

Anthony D. Leger has been appointed manager of the Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge in Newburyport, Mass.

A Michigan native, Leger joined the service in 1977, with his first appointment at Parker River Wildlife Refuge in Newburyport, Mass. Subsequent assignments as assistant manager at Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge in New York, and at the Barnegat Division of the Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge in New Jersey, provided Leger with broad experience in managing diverse habitats and wildlife populations.

In 1984, he accepted a position in the Northeast Regional Office as regional assistant supervisor for management of refuges in Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Grandparents can write a personal book for their grandchildren. Blank books are available at department and book stores.

"Writing may seem like an overwhelming task, but writing one page per day will fill a book very quickly," Newhouse said.

She suggested that grandparents can write about their own parents and grandparents, sisters, brothers, and other relatives; where they were born and raised; games they played as children; school days, and work experiences.

A topic grandchildren enjoy is learning what their parents were like when they were young.

New electronic recording equipment has opened new ways for grandparents to give their traditions, Newhouse said.

Using a video or tape recorder makes creating oral histories easy. If the story teller wants to change a story, it can easily be erased and redone.

"Some embarrassing, but wonderful, stories may be easier to record than told face-to-face," Newhouse said.

## FANTASTIC SEAFOOD, GREAT STEAKS.

BEST SHE CRAB SOUP IN TIDEWATER, 1985



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## ARTS

**Old Dominion University Ballet brings "The Nutcracker" to Beach**

**Old Dominion University** Ballet's 14th annual production of Tchaikovsky's holiday classic, "The Nutcracker," is scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 6 in The Virginia Beach Pavilion Theater.

Musical accompaniment for

"The Nutcracker" will be provided by The Virginia Symphony, under the direction of Winston Dan Vogel.

Guest artists this year include Judith Fugate, a New York City Ballet principal, who will dance the role of the Sugar Plum Fairy.

Fugate was promoted in October from soloist to principal, which is the highest rank a dancer can attain with a company.

Also performing is Medhi Bahiri, an internationally-known freelance soloist, who will dance the role of the Sugar Plum Fairy's Cavalier.

Fugate and Bahiri are husband and wife. Their most recent guest appearance was dancing the lead roles in Gabriela Darvash's production of "Giselle" in New York City.

In addition to the two principal

guest artists, the Old Dominion University Ballet Company will be joined by professional dancers Martha-Elena Garcia and Charlotte Patton, courtesy of the Darvash Studio in New York. The two will dance in the Snow Scene and Waltz of the Flowers.

Bog Garcia and Patton danced in Darvash's productions of "Cinderella" in 1985 and "Giselle" earlier this year.

Tickets are \$14, \$12 and \$9, and are on sale at the Pavilion box office and all Tidewater branches of First Virginia Bank.

**First Baptist Church presents Handel's "Messiah"**

Handel's "Messiah," Part 1, will be presented on Sunday, Dec. 6 at 8 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church.

The sanctuary choir will be accompanied by a professional string orchestra made up of members of the Virginia Sym-

phony.

Guest solos will also feature Tidewater area artists.

There shall be no charge and no offering shall be taken. The public is invited.

First Baptist Church is located on the corner of 35th Street and Holly Road at the beach.

**"Joyous Sounds of Christmas"****Charles Wesley Choir****to hold Christmas concert**

A concert entitled "The Joyous Sounds of Christmas" will be presented by the Charles Wesley Choir of the Virginia Beach United Methodist Church, Pacific Avenue at 19th Street, on Sunday, Dec. 7 at 8 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

The program will include the presentation of "Fantasia on Christmas Carols" by Ralph Vaughan Williams with Les Wasserman as baritone soloist, and "Emmanuel" by Eugene Butler with Eleanor Pursell, Nancy Hodges, Margaret Gill, Betty Moore, Gloria Earley, and Oral Lambert as soloists.

Wanda LeQuire will be at the organ and the choir is under the direction of Joyce Clark. A nur-sery will be provided.

Sixteen women from the Elizabeth River Artists organization will show paintings

sponsored by the Virginia Beach Arts Center.

The show was organized by Chesapeake artist Virginia Brown, who has been a charter member of the group.

Exhibiting artists include Pat

Erle, Edith Franklin, Gene Jones, Kitty Leahy, Almarie Matthews, Rose McCarthy, Margaret

Bonnie, Rae Stein and Sharon Swetman.

Participating artists include:

Betty Banks, Bette Bonnie, Ber-

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ney, Susan Check, Gray Dod-

son, Lillian Magnuson, Jo

"What they all have in common is an open-ended approach to learning, perseverance, and

independence."

The Municipal Gallery is

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## Shoppers packed Pavilion for handmade crafts, stuffed animals

Hundreds of shoppers took advantage of the long Thanksgiving weekend to pack the Virginia Beach Pavilion for the Countryside Shops Craft sale.

There were hundreds of craftspeople there, displaying carved

decoys, woven wall hangings, baskets, hand-painted and hand-painted purses, belt buckles and other accessories, and quilted items.

Stuffed animals are one popular gift this year, and many

shoppers crowded around booths offering stuffed animals and dolls of all kinds.

For the children, Santa waited just outside the show, to listen to children's Christmas wishes and have a picture taken on his lap.



These stuffed animals proved popular with crowds out Christmas shopping. Photo by Stephanie Beyer.



Michelle Jencelle works on a basket, similar to many she had on display for the show. Photo by Stephanie Beyer.

## HAPPENINGS-

### Offshore Club schedules meeting

The Offshore Club International will hold its December meeting and Christmas party on Tuesday, Dec. 9. Call 499-4939 after 6 p.m.

### Linkhorn Park club to hold tea

The Linkhorn Park Garden Club will hold a tea on Friday, Dec. 5, from 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Reid, 153 Pinewood Rd.

Flower arrangements made by club members will decorate the house.

### Christmas show set for handicapped

The Society of Underprivileged and Handicapped Children will present their annual Christmas show on Saturday, Dec. 6, at Brandon Junior High School, 1700 Pope Street, at 2 p.m.

The Christmas show, donated by the Holiday of Magic Productions, include Al Belmont performing his exclusive Houdini Challenge Guillotine Escape and his "A Magical Tribute to America!"

The highlight of the show will be when Santa appears, with his sack full of free stockings stuffed with candies and toys.

The proceeds from this performance will be used to purchase special equipment for the underprivileged and handicapped children.

### Boys Club to hold birthday party

The Boys Club of Virginia Beach, near Mt. Trashmore, will be having a ten year birthday celebration on Saturday, Dec. 6 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Events will include: a basketball clinic at 10 a.m.; swimming at 12:30 p.m.; a magic show at 1:30 p.m.; a paddleball demonstration at 2:30 p.m. and a mini version of "Let's Make a Deal" at 3 p.m.

Door prizes will be given away and refreshments will be served.

Call the club at 499-2311.

### A.R.E. lectures set

The Association for Research and Enlightenment will hold free lectures through the week of Dec. 7 at 3 p.m. daily in the A.R.E. Visitor Center.

Lecture topics will include: "Psychic is the Soul," "Lives of the Master," "The Story of the Magi," and "The Glory of Rebirth."

### Back Bay closed Saturdays

The Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Contact Station will be closed on Saturdays through March, 1987.

The closure, announced recently by Refuge Manager Anthony D. Leger, was effective on Nov. 29.

## Virginia Beach Public Notices

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Virginia Beach Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, December 17, 1986, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council Meeting Office. The following applications will appear on the hearing agenda:

\*Please Note: If no one appears before the Board to represent the applicant, the variance could be denied!!

### REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1. Alvin D. Haworth requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 33, Block E, Section 29-C, Magic Hollow, 2923 Old Glory Road, Princess Anne Borough.

Case 2. Richard D. and Robert W. Dunnington request a variance of 1 parking space to 37 parking spaces instead of 38 parking spaces as previously granted by the Board of Zoning Appeals (November 7, 1984) and to allow 17 parking spaces to be 8 feet in width instead of 9 feet in width as required on Lot 11, 13 and 15, Block 13, Virginia Beach Development Company, 1200 Atlantic Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

Case 3. Joseph A. and Paula L. Buchheit request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on lot H, Block V, Section 4, Caroline Farm, 5368 Challedon Drive, Kempsville Borough.

Case 4. Donald L. White requests a variance of 3 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 8 feet as required (deck) on Lot 1-A1, Block 22, Section E, Cape Henry Syncline, 229 63rd Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 5. Ilgurs and Marjorie Suede request a variance of 6 feet to a 4 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building/storage shed) on Lot 98, Section 2, King Grant, 779 Suffolk Lane, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 6. Stephen P. Lockyear requests a variance of 4 feet to a 6 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (residential addition) on Lot B, Block 32, Shadowlawn Heights, 627 Terrace Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

Case 7. Frank E. Wynne requests a variance of 3 feet to a 17 foot rear yard setback instead of 20 feet as required (2nd floor deck) on Lot 6, Block E, Section

4, Chimney Hill, 3800 Chimney Creek Drive, Kempsville Borough.

Case 8. Gary and Monica Lamore request a variance of 3 feet to a 27 foot front yard setback instead of 30 feet as required (roof over deck) on Lot 11, Block 18, Croatan, 600 Surfside Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 9. H. L. Salomonsky requests a variance of 7 feet to a 1 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 8 feet as required (accessory building - storage shed) on the Western 25 feet of Lot 16, Lot 17 and the Eastern one-half of Lot 18, Block 2, Übermeyer, 115-52nd Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 10. Paco, Inc. requests a variance of 4.8 feet in building height to 39.8 feet in height instead of 35 feet in building height as allowed (office building) on Part of Princess Anne (Courthouse Area), 2429 North Landing Road, Princess Anne Borough.

Case 11. Eugene M. and Catherine B. Myers requests a variance of 7 feet to a 13 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 20 feet as required (accessory building - detached garage) on Part on Lots 6 and 7, Site B, Little Haven, 940 Hurd Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 12. Dimitris T. Kouloukakis and Edwin B. Lindsey, Jr. requests a variance of 16 feet to a 34 foot setback from the south property line instead of 50 feet as required (billboard) on B-2, Subdivision of Parcel 3, Euclid Place, Virginia Beach Boulevard, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 13. Barry Epstein by Robert Epstein of Talbot and Associates request a variance of 12 feet to an 8 foot side yard setback where prohibited on Parcel A-2-B, Lynnhaven Square, Lynnhaven Parkway, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 14. Danilo I. Prejolek requests a variance of 2 feet in fence height to a 6 foot fence instead of a 4 foot fence as allowed in a required side yard adjacent to a Street (Chickadee Court) on Lot 43, Section One, Part One, Redwing, 1326 Chickadee Lane, Princess Anne Borough.

Case 15. Deanner K. and Sheila A. Lawless, by Betty M. Michaelson, Attorney request a variance of 4 feet to a 6 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 10, Section B-2, Part 3, Bellamy Manor Estates, 4932 Admiralty Drive, Kempsville Borough.

Case 16. Barbara Weise requests a variance of 9 feet to a 1 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (residential addition) on Lot B, Block 32, Shadowlawn Heights, 627 Terrace Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

Case 17. Stephen P. Lockyear requests a variance of 4 feet to a 6 foot rear yard setback instead of 1.5 feet to a 6 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 10 feet each as required (residential addition) on Lot B, Block 32, Shadowlawn Heights, 627 Terrace Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

Case 18. Edwin B. Lindsey, Jr. requests a variance of 21 feet to a 29 foot setback from the south property line and of 14 feet to a 36 foot setback from the west property line instead of 30 feet as required (billboard) and to allow a billboard to be on an improved property where prohibited (parking spaces and driveway) on

Boulevard, Kempsville Borough.

Case 19. Beach Investment Associates, Inc. by John C. Rogers, President requests a variance of 5 feet to a "0" setback from the south property line instead of 5 feet as required and to waive the landscaping in the setback (south side) where required (proposed motel) on Portion of Square 25, Virginia Beach Development Company, 24th and Atlantic Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

Case 20. Parker Industries, Inc. by Charles M. Sale, Attorney request a variance for a free-standing tenant sign on a 1 acre parcel, more or less, Davis Plat, (Near Southern Terrace), 3022 Virginia Beach Parkway, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 21. Summit Properties, by William T. Brooks of Langley and McDonald request a variance to allow a perimeter driveway to be in the required 76 square feet of landscaped area required at the base of the free-standing sign on a 1 acre parcel, more or less, Davis Plat, (Near Southern Terrace), 3022 Virginia Beach Parkway, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 22. 2000 N. Military Hwy., Norfolk, Virginia 23518, Norfolk Motor Company reserves the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1985 Honda ID#JH2PC0801-FM209802  
The Motorcycle Co. Inc.  
1981 Kawasaki ID#JKAKZFDI-6BA001360  
The Motorcycle Company, Inc.  
299-16 1t 12-3 VB

MECHANICS LIEN SALE  
By virtue of section 43-34 of the Virginia Motor Vehicle Code, the undersigned will sell at public auction on Thursday, December 20, 1986 at 10:00 a.m. at 3904 Colley Ave. Norfolk, Va., reserving unto itself the right to bid, the following motorcycles to satisfy liens for storage and/or repairs.

1985 Honda ID#JH2PC0801-FM209802  
The Motorcycle Co. Inc.

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The Motorcycle Company, Inc.

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MECHANICS LIEN SALE  
By virtue of section 43-34 of the Virginia Motor Vehicle Code, the undersigned will sell at public auction on Thursday, December 20, 1986 at 10:00 a.m. at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1978 Buick Riviera, Serial #4Z37X815153639.  
Bayside Motors

299-14 11 12-3 VB

Take notice, that on December 8, 1986, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1978 Chevrolet Van, Serial #CGD1597132685  
Bayside Motors

299-311 12-3 VB

Take notice, that on December 8, 1986, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1979 Chevrolet Van, Serial #CGD1597132685  
Bayside Motors

299-311 12-3 VB

Auction: 1980 Chevrolet Citation, Serial Number: 1K117-AT111682, Auction Date: December 8, 1986, Time: 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Hwy., Norfolk, Virginia 23518. Norfolk Motor Company reserves the right to bid.

Norfolk Motor Company

Larry Stitzel

Credit Department

299-13 1t 12-3 VB

Auction: 1980 Chevrolet Citation, Serial Number: 1K117-AT111682, Auction Date: December 8, 1986, Time: 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Hwy., Norfolk, Virginia 23518. Norfolk Motor Company reserves the right to bid.

Norfolk Motor Company

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299-21 1t 12-3 VB

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be heard in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, December 22, 1986, at 7:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

### KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of The Breeden Companies for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2

Community-Business District to A-1 Apartment District on certain property located on the West side of South Military Highway, 1100 feet North of Indian River Road. Said parcel contains 5 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

2. An Ordinance upon Application of The Breeden Companies for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-1 Business-Residential District to A-2 Apartment District on certain property located 350.29 feet West of South Military Highway, 1100 feet North of Indian River Road. Said parcel contains 12.963 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

Plan with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC

City Clerk

297-20 2t 12-2 10- VB

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Bayside Motors

299-311 12-3 VB

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1979 Buick Electra Park Avenue, Serial #AU69X9H60093  
Bayside Motors

299-21 1t 12-3 VB

### ABC LICENSE

Mark P. Hesse Inc., trading as The Corner Table at 297 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23451 will apply to the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, (P. O. Box 27491, Richmond, Va. 23261) for a Wine & Beer on & Beer off premises license at the above location.

Mark R. Tyler

Owner

297-18 1t 12-3 VB

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 24th day of November, 1986.

Gail Elaine Davis Littlejohn, Plaintiff, against Norman Warrender Littlejohn, Jr., Defendant.

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more or less West of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1800 feet more or less North of S. Birdneck Road. Said parcel contains 2.93 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Norma R. Lancaster for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from PD-H2 (R-8) Planned Unit Development District to B-2 Community-Business District on certain property located at the Southwest corner of Dam Neck Road and Bold Ruler Drive. Said parcel contains 15,594.48 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

11. An Ordinance upon Application of Norma R. Lancaster for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community-Business District on the South side of Dam Neck Road, 74.71 feet West of Bold Ruler Drive. Said parcel is located at 615 Dam Neck Road and contains 1.672 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

12. An Ordinance upon Application of Steven W. & Beverly A. Langendoen for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community-Business District on the South side of Dam Neck Road, 299.63 feet East of Dwyer Road. Said parcel is located at 621 Dam Neck Road and contains 1.17 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

13. An Ordinance upon Application of Terry/Peterson Development Corporation for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from R-3 Residential District to A-1 Apartment District on certain property located on the South side of Shore Drive beginning at a point 460 feet more or less East of Jack Frost Road. Said parcel contains 9.223 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

14. An Ordinance upon Application of Terry/Peterson Development Corporation for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2 Community-Business District to A-1 Apartment District on certain property located on the South side of Shore Drive beginning at a point 1125 feet more or less East of Jack Frost Road. Said parcel contains 27.225 square feet more or less. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

15. An Ordinance upon Application of Ernest L. & Phyllis A. Hudson for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-3 Central-Business District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the South side of Cleveland Street beginning at a point 800 feet more or less West of Aragona Boulevard. Said parcel contains 14,984.64 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

16. An Ordinance upon Application of Joseph L. Exum, Jr. for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from P-1 Preservation District to B-2 Community-Business District on property located on the West side of First Colonial Road, 260 feet more or less South of Virginia Beach Boulevard. Said parcel is located at 235 First Colonial Road and contains 5730 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

17. An Ordinance upon Application of William Everett Tidwell and F.T. Stant for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from R-6 Residential District to B-1 Business-Residential District on certain property located on the East side of Princess Anne Road, 280 feet South of Green Meadows Drive. Said parcel con-

tains 42,907 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

18. An Ordinance upon Application of Investors Service Corporation for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-1 Apartment District to B-2 Community-Business District at the Southwest corner of Kempsville Road and Canterbury Lane on Lots 26 through 31, Carriage Mill. Parcels are located at 5301 through 5311 Canterbury Lane and contain 14,810 square feet. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

19. An Ordinance upon Application of Richard A. and Carolyn J. Gendron for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a home for the aged on the West side of Salem Roads, 381.14 feet South of Salem Woods Road. Said parcel is located at 1453 Salem Road and contains 2 acres.

Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

20. An Ordinance upon Application of Beach Crab Associates for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for multiple family dwellings in the C-1 Arts and Conference District on certain property located on the West side of Cypress Avenue beginning at a point 50 feet North of 18th Street. Said parcels are located at 1807 and 1811 Cypress Avenue and contain 1.1 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

30. An Ordinance upon Application of U.S. Fiberglass Products, Inc. and Purpose Enterprises, a Virginia General Partnership for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for the sale of sailing and wave riding boards, equipment and accessories at the Northeast corner of 19th Street and Cypress Avenue on Lots 17, 18 and remainder of Lots 19 and 20, Block 37, Virginia Beach Development Corporation. Said parcel contains 26,136 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

21. An Ordinance upon Application of Kenneth C. Fenson T/A Ocean Auto Sales II for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for used automobile sales on the North side of Virginia Beach Boulevard, 1107 feet West of First Colonial Road on Lot 18 and part of Lot 19, Ocean. Said parcel is located at 1766 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 30,056 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

22. An Ordinance upon Application of Owl's Creek Golf Center, Inc. for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for recreational facilities of an outdoor nature (executive golf course) on the West side of S. Birdneck Road beginning at a point 1700 feet more or less North of Bells Road. Said parcel is located at 415 S. Birdneck Road and contains 71 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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24. An Ordinance upon Application of Soleiman M. Sadig and Mousa Mahgerefteh for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from R-5 Residential District to PD-H2 Planned Unit Development District on certain property located at 1912-19 and 44-44, Box 61, Euclid. Said parcel is located at 4839 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 22,216 square feet. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

25. An Ordinance upon Application of George Loizou for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for used auto sales and service on Lots 7 through 17, Block 30, Euclid Place. Said parcel is located at 306 Dorset Avenue and contains 33,367 square feet. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

26. An Ordinance upon Application of Brook Baptist Church for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a church addition of the South side of Wishart Road, 1170 feet more or less West of N. Witchduck Road. Said parcel is located at 4397 Wishart Road and contains 6 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED FOR 30 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON NOVEMBER 12, 1986:

33. Application of Marc-Lynn Associates for the discontinuation, closure and abandonment of a portion of an unnamed 40 foot right-of-way as shown on the plat entitled "Portion of 40' Unnamed Street as Shown on Plat Entitled Property of Thomas Lamb Located Near Seatack, M.B., p. 20, p. 32, Lynnhaven Borough, Virginia Beach, VA." Parcel is located at 125.66 feet East of South Birdneck Road, 300 feet South of Hughes Avenue and contains 12,000 square feet more or less. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

34. An Ordinance upon Application of False Cape Enterprises, Inc., a Virginia Corporation, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a rehabilitation center/sanitorium on Lots 13, 14, and the Western 55 feet of Lot 15, Milburn Manor. Said parcel is located at 5560 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 3.5 acres. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

STREET CLOSURE:

27. Application of Pacific Associates Corporation for the discontinuation, closure and abandonment of a portion of an unnamed alley located between 4th Street and 5th Street beginning at the Eastern Boundary of

Pacific Avenue and running in an Easterly direction a distance of 50 feet. Said parcel is 15 feet in width and contains 750 square feet. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

28. An Ordinance upon Application of Wimbledon-On-The-Bay Associates for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for Open Space Promotion on certain property located on the Southwest side of N. Great Neck Road beginning at a point 1120 feet more or less Northwest of River Road. Said parcel contains 60.5 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

REFERRED BACK TO PLANNING COMMISSION BY CITY COUNCIL ON NOV. 24, 1986:

36. An Ordinance upon Application of The Breedon Companies for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2 Community-Business District to A-2 Apartment District on certain property located on the West side of South Military Highway, 1100 feet North of Indian River Road. Said parcel contains 5 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

37. An Ordinance upon Application of The Breedon Companies for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-1 Business-Residential District to A-2 Apartment District on certain property located on the West side of South Military Highway, 1100 feet North of Indian River, 1100 feet North of Indian River Road. Said parcel contains 5 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

38. An Ordinance upon Application of C. A. Bamforth, Surveyor, dated April 22, 1952, entitled "Westmorland Estates, Section 1," which said plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, (formerly Princess Anne County), in Map Book 32, at page 3; less and except those certain portions of the respective lots that were acquired by the Commonwealth of Virginia by Certificate filed July 9, 1965, on behalf of the State Highway Commissioner of Virginia and recorded in the said Clerk's Office in Deed Book 911, page 44, which said Certificate was confirmed by Order of the Circuit Court of the said City entered on December 2, 1965, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Deed Book 937, page 697.

35. An Ordinance upon Application of False Cape Enterprises, Inc., a Virginia Corporation for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for open space promotion on certain property located on the North side of Ferrell Parkway (Proposed) at its intersection with Camino Real S., in Section 7, Lagomar. Said parcel contains 461 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

36. An Ordinance upon Application of the Circuit Court for the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia (the "Land Records") in Deed Book 1258, Folio 543, the undersigned Trustees, having been appointed by Deed of Substitution of Trustees Under Deed of Trust recorded among the Land Records on October 28, 1972, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday, December 8, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Daylight Savings Time, in front of the Circuit Court for the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, the property known as 138 Rosemont Road, City of Virginia Beach, Virginia and more fully described in pertinent part in the Deed of Trust as follows:

ALL THOSE certain lots, pieces or parcels of land lying, situated and being in the Lynnhaven Borough of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, designated and described as Lots Nine (9), Ten (10) and Eleven (11), on that certain plat made by C. A. Bamforth, Surveyor, dated April 22, 1952, entitled "Westmorland Estates, Section 1," which said plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, in Deed Book 2192, at Page 2116, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder the following described property:

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Reference is hereby made to the aforesaid described deed of trust for a more particular description of said property. Said property to be sold December 24, 1986, at 10:10 a.m. on the front steps of Circuit Court Number 1 of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

TERMS: Cash

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 721 20TH STREET,

APARTMENT 2,

PARK PLACE BEACH VILLAS,

A CONDOMINIUM,

VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA

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## School board candidate profiles

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in math from the University of Pennsylvania. He also has associate degrees in applied science and data processing and accounting from Tidewater Community College and a master's degree in business administration from Golden Gate University.

Hall is a supervisor of records in the micrographics department of the City of Virginia Beach.

Hall served in the Navy for 31 years, retiring as a commander in 1974. He teaches business math at Tidewater Community College. While in the Navy, he was executive officer of the Fleet Training Center in Norfolk, which operates 10 schools with a staff of 450.

He and his wife Mary have three children, who attended public schools. All are alumni of Pennsylvania State University. The Halls also have five grandchildren.

Hall is chairman of the board of the Virginia Beach Municipal Employees Credit Union and is a speaker for the United Fund.

He said he believes in strong discipline, that the role of the superintendent is the same as that of the city manager to the city council. He said he is open to greater cooperation between the school board and city council. He emphasized the possible money-saving aspects of the school and city operations.

### Dr. Joshua Edwards

Edwards, who attended public schools in Norfolk, received his bachelor of arts degree in biology from St. Augustine College in Raleigh, N.C. He also has a master's degree in counseling education and higher academics and a doctorate in higher education administration and counseling education from the University of Pittsburgh.

He is a professor in the education department at Norfolk State University, where he has been associated for close to nine years.

Before his present position, he was dean of students at St. Augustine College and at Edgewood College in Madison, Wis.

He and his wife have three children, one son who is a graduate of Kellam High School, a daughter who is a student at Green Run Elementary School and a pre-school-aged son.

Edwards has served on the Citizens Advisory Committee for Community Development and as a member of the Virginia Beach Development Corporation. He also served on the faculty senate at Norfolk State.

Edwards believes that emphasis in education should be placed at the elementary level. He said the dropout rate comes at the high school level, but that students drop out mentally at the elementary level.

He said that teachers are teaching subjects for which they are not qualified. He therefore believes in the team teaching approach in the elementary school with the teachers rotating instead of the students.

Edwards added that every child should not be educated in a particular manner, just as everyone should not be president of the United States.

Edwards believes that the school board should be elected by the people and should be responsible for fund raising.

He said the school board and city council can work together for a common cause, that the school board meeting should be open to the public, and that the new superintendent should be somebody who is willing to compromise.

He said that he has had experience with a budget at Norfolk State and that he would be accessible to the public if elected.

### Clelia Freeman

Born in North Carolina, Freeman grew up in Portsmouth where she was graduated from the Woodrow Wilson High School.

She received her bachelor of science in math from Radford College and her master's degree in guidance counseling from the College of William and Mary. She also took advanced studies in school administration at the University of Virginia.

She taught overseas while with her husband serving in the U.S. Corps of Engineers, at Great Bridge High School in Chesapeake and in Alexandria. In 1958, when the Freemans established their home in Thoroughgood, she taught in Thoroughgood.

She also taught and was a guidance counselor at Princess Anne High School, was a guidance director at Cox High School, and assistant principal at Kempsville High School for six years.

She is a member of University Women and of Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary educational fraternity. The Freemans have two sons who attended public schools in Virginia Beach.

She said her concerns are maintaining the quality of education but cutting costs—the program should be reviewed and some programs can be consolidated; to replace the superintendent who has been recognized nationally, is "farsighted, aggressive and hard to replace"; overcrowded schools; drugs; and the increase in teen-aged pregnancies.

She said the school board needs more representation from the education area and more women.

She said she would not mind justifying school board costs to council and as for drugs, she said she needs more background, but that schools can't be everything.

As much as she admires Brickell, she said, she would not necessarily look for the same characteristics in a new superintendent. She said that Virginia Beach is fortunate in that the job is a choice one and the city can look the whole country over.

### Linda Williams

Williams, a graduate of Overbrook High School in Philadelphia, attended Montgomery County Community College in Pennsylvania and West Chester (Pa.) State College.

All four of her children are students at the Shelton Park Elementary School.

Her husband is in the Navy.

The Williams' have resided in Virginia Beach for four years.

She said that her Navy background will fill a void on the school board by introducing special concerns of the children of military personnel who make frequent moves.

Although she is not familiar with state law as it relates to schools, Williams said, "I can learn; I'm available."

In a new superintendent, she said, she would look for ability,

honor and respect.

She said the average military family moves 11 to 12 times during the children's school career, and each of their schools has its own standards. She said she would like to represent these families, not to water down the standards.

### M. Boyd Jones

A native of Gloucester, Jones received his bachelor of science degree from Hampton Institute and his master's and doctorate from Cornell University.

He is presently retired, professor emeritus, from Norfolk State University, but teaches one class, evenings, and tutors in mathematics during the day.

Before coming here in 1964, Jones taught in St. Paul's College, Lawrenceville; Maryland State on the Eastern Shore; and Alabama State. He also taught at the high school level in several places.

The Joneses have four children: one daughter, a graduate of Bayside High School who was graduated from Radcliffe, and three sons, all of whom were graduated from Norfolk State University.

The oldest is a major in the Medical Corps, stationed in Frankfort, the second son is in electronics locally, and the youngest is studying medicine at Meharry.

Jones has been president of his civic league and a member of the Council of Civic Organizations.

He received a \$10,000 grant from Exxon to do experimental work in math, and believes that youngsters are the ultimate product of the schools.

He believes in pre-school classes, but says that age is not the key.

In answering council's questions, he said that maybe children should be kept at school before and after school hours to provide working parents a place where the children can be supervised, but he said, that it would depend on the finances and the time available.

Jones had no objections to discussing line items in the school budget with the city council and believes that the superintendent should be one who establishes rapport with his associates and knows what's going on.

### Dr. Gordon Buhrer

Buhrer, a 30-year Navy veteran, believes that the administrative staff for Virginia Beach schools could be reduced and the administrators pass back in the classrooms teaching their specialties.

Buhrer, who received his doctorate degree in business administration from George Washington University, has been associated with Old Dominion University for 14 years, five years in the classroom and nine years in administration.

While in the Navy, he served as a school librarian in Virginia Beach for 14 years before she remarried 11 years ago. She has seven children, all of whom attended Virginia Beach schools.

Middleton is treasurer of the Virginia Beach Arts and Humanities Committee, on the Arts and Artists Committee, and was appointed three years ago by the governor to the Virginia Beach Erosion Council.

She also served as parliamentarian of her civic league,

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His wife taught in the elementary schools for ten years and the Buhrers have two children, who graduated from the Virginia Beach school system.

He said his primary goal as a board member would be to improve the schools at the elementary level. From four years through the elementary years, he said, the instruction is almost archaic.

He said that he had a more modern education 40 or 50 years ago. The middle and upper schools, he said, are modern.

He said that is was not fair to expect a teacher to be proficient in 10 or 12 subjects, and that using some of the administrators to teach their specialties would provide more teachers.

Buhrer believes that the great group of average children are not getting attention. He also believes in a platoon system, a kind of team teaching setting, so that one teacher would not have so many subjects to teach.

He said that while some changes may add to the expense, other changes can be made that won't cost anything.

Buhrer said the new superintendent should have had experience in a large school system or his learning time would be too long; should have a broad range of experience in vocational and (class) education, and should be capable of developing programs.

Buhrer, who is now back in the classroom at ODU, said that he teaches three days a week and would be accessible to the public.

### Ernestine Middleton

Middleton is a native of Virginia Beach, who graduated from Kempsville High School. She has a bachelor of science degree from Madison College, a master's from the College of William and Mary and is enrolled in a doctorate program at Virginia Polytechnic University Institute and State University.

She worked as a school librarian in Virginia Beach for 14 years before she remarried 11 years ago. She has seven children, all of whom attended Virginia Beach schools.

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She said the superintendent should have vision and fiscal responsibility. If appointed, she said, she would have to relinquish some of her present activities to serve the board more fully.

### Gerald Gibbs

Gibbs, a native of Washington, D.C., is a graduate of the U.S. Military Academy and received a master's degree in mathematics from Columbia University.

As an "Army brat," he said, he attended schools all over the country, and after retiring from the Army in 1982 became associated with a local "think tank" system.

He served as chief of combat readiness with SACLANT in Belgium, where his daughter finished high school, and after a two-year assignment with NATO, retired as a full colonel and settled in Virginia Beach.

His career also includes three years of teaching math at West Point.

A daughter is a Phi Beta Kappa at the University of Virginia and a son is a student at Virginia Wesleyan.

He said the superintendent should be a good teacher, so that he will understand how hard it is to be a good teacher, and a good manager. His philosophy, he said, is to address both standards and responsibility.

His priority, he said, is to produce good quality students in an area where they can be creative.

He likened the school board to the board of directors of a corporation to provide a system of checks and balances.

### Dr. Richard Bartley

Bartley, a native of Norfolk, where he attended public schools, is a graduate of Yale University and received his doctorate from the Illinois College for Optometry.

He and his wife have one daughter, a student at Yale University.

Except for a tour of military duty, Bartley has been practicing optometry for 20 years.

Bartley said that quality education should be available at all levels within the context of fiscal responsibility. He said he hoped that city council did not want to be involved in every

decision made by the school board, but saw no problem in explaining line items in the school budget to council.

He said that he takes pride in the city and that teachers are entitled to have representation although he is against labor unions for teachers. He said the new superintendent should come from a system with comparable values.

### Alan W. Fulmer

Fulmer, a native of New Jersey, has resided in Virginia Beach for 12 years.

He attended Community College in New Jersey and served in the Army twice. He was a highway patrolman in northern New Jersey, a detective, and a Federal agent.

As a Federal agent, he had covert assignments in the Middle East, Europe and Northeast Africa, and also worked in the Tactical Border Drug Interdiction Program.

When he retired from government service in 1978, he turned a hobby of designing and building custom homes into a career as a builder and developer. He also is a majority stockholder and chief executive officer of Fantastik Sunnating salons.

Fulmer has also served as president of the Lago Mar Civic League, on the Board of Directors of the Council of Civic Organizations, and is an Inter-collegiate Friend of Old Dominion University.

He said the school buildings are under-utilized. He said that with billions worth of physical plants in schools, which are closed most of the time, the city held a bond referendum for a recreation center. Some program might be worked out, he said, where the schools could be used for recreation.

He also cited "grandiose ideas" of the school system, saying that if the people hadn't gotten up and yelled, the city would have Olympic-sized swimming pools in all the schools.

He said that the new superintendent should have experience in budgeting to be able to "trim the unnecessary stuff out." He also stated students as the top priority in schools, followed by teachers, administrators and buildings. He also said he did not believe that any government employee should have the right to strike.

## City Council talk show set

"City Council Reports," Citzie's monthly call-in program, will air live on Wednesday, Dec. 3 at 7:30 p.m.

The program, which answers call-in questions from Virginia Beach viewers, will feature Mayor Robert Jones and Councilmen Robert Fenstess and John Moss.

Residents are encouraged to phone in their questions about city topics and issues.

For citizens who are unable to watch the live airing, City Council Reports will be rebroadcast on Thursday, Dec. 4 at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, Dec. 6 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 7 at 11:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.



Senior class present

The Green Run High School Class of '87 recently presented the school with a \$5,000 marquee for the South Independence Boulevard entrance. Senior officers and chairwomen are, from left: Cheryl Leggiardo, graduation chairwoman; Denise Dilday, prom chairwoman; Donna Elizarr, publicity; John Zirkle, class president; Tawanda McPherson, secretary; Margaret Shu, vice president; and Tricia Ryan, treasurer. Photo by Stephanie Beyer.

## REPORTERS NEEDED

General assignment reporters with photography, darkroom and layout skills are needed for The Virginia Beach Sun and The Tidewater News in Franklin, Va. Salary based on experience.

Send resumes and clippings to The Virginia Beach Sun, 138 South Rosemont Road, Virginia Beach, Va. 23450. Call 486-3430.

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### Holiday Happenings

Jaycees sell trees, collect food for needy

The Virginia Beach Jaycees are selling Christmas trees through Dec. 24 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the Hilltop Shopping Center.

The Jaycees will also attempt to fill with food a 20-ton truck and donate the food to the Southeastern Food Bank. The collections will take place on Saturdays and Sundays, Dec. 13 and 14 and Dec. 20 and 21.

Call 495-2549 for more information.

New Year's Day Back Bay hike announced by club

The Tidewater Appalachian Trail Club is sponsoring its fifth annual New Year's Day Hike to Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge.

Bring lunch and water. Hike begins at 8:30 a.m. It ends whenever.

Call 484-6001.

Messiah Sing-Along at Beach Community Chapel

The Virginia Beach Community Chapel will present a Messiah Sing-Along on Monday, Dec. 22 at 8 p.m. at the Pavilion theatre.

The event is free and open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis.

Soloists will include Barbara Henley, Lorraine Jackson, Carl Gilmer and John Reinhardt. A rehearsal will be held on Dec. 16 at Galilee Episcopal Church at 7:30 p.m.

Thalia Garden Club holds Christmas party

The Thalia Garden Club will hold its annual Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 18 at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sweet.

Call 340-1801.

Preceptor Alpha alpha holds holiday meeting

Preceptor Alpha Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will hold its holiday meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at Linda Gray's home: 732 Abbey Arch.

Call 499-5609.

Aragon club holds holiday dish luncheon

The Aragona Garden Club will hold a covered dish Christmas luncheon on Thursday, Dec. 18 at 11:30 a.m. at Christ Presbyterian Church. Gifts will be exchanged. For more information call 497-9268.

Seatack Senior Center holds Christmas bazaar

A Christmas Bazaar will be held at the Seatack Senior Center, located at 411 Birdneck Circle, behind Seatack Elementary School, on Wednesday, Dec. 17, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



Mounted patrol graduates get into formation

## Stabilizing Crime

Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol has special relationship with Cashvan Arabian Farms

Stories by Greg Goldfarb

If not for Cashvan Arabian Farms, there would be no Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol.

At least that's the consensus of Frank Drew, a lieutenant in the Virginia Beach Police Department and in charge of the city's eight-man mounted patrol, and Jerry Modlin, Cashvan's horse trainer.

Cashvan Arabian Farms, located on Princess Anne Road near the municipal center, has done for free everything from donations to the patrol three Arabian horses, to providing facilities for public ceremonies

honoring the patrol's most recent graduating class, to transporting the horses to special events hundreds of miles and back, plus expenses. Usually,

as for the same services commercial customers would be charged \$50 per horse and .60¢ a mile, plus expenses. But since

the mounted patrol operates on an annual city budget of less than \$20,000 to cover necessities, the Cashvan generosity is greatly appreciated.

In addition, since the patrol's

inception in 1984, Cashvan has donated, among other things, gates, tubs and blankets.

"I really don't know why. We never asked our selves 'why?' Somebody need help and we helped them."

During severe hurricanes, Cashvan has even opened to the horses its heated stables and large indoor show arena. The

500 arrests affected from horseback: officer envisions day all of officers will ride

The Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol currently stands at eight members, all of whom have at least 10 years of law enforcement experience.

They, and their steed's name, are: Lt. Frank Drew, Taurus; Master Police Officer (MPO) Rosemary Larkin, Chief; MPO Bernie Ruby, Raven; MPO Rick Spredar, Tag; Norman Ferguson, Rebel; Ronnie Hemus, Lester; MPP Kennedy, Frisbee; and Kafi Wesseler, Rocky.

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Police horses usually stay for free at Camp Pendleton under an agreement in which the city only pays for electricity and repair.

The ongoing working relationship between the police department and Cashvan Farms is a special one, and one which Drew and Modlin agree will

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Since the patrol's formation in 1984, approximately 500 arrests have been made from horseback, and only once has an officer fallen from his mount. That occurred during a chase, but the officer remounted and affected the arrest.

Never, according to Drew, has a mounted police officer hurt a person; received a complaint about the officer's behavior; and per capita, Rocky.

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Beach hotels, motels set holiday show

Lynnhaven House open for holiday

By Dixie McCullough  
Special To The Sun

Follow the winding path to an eighteenth century Christmas at the Lynnhaven House in old Princess Anne County.

On Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 12 and 13, the public is invited to an afternoon of living history at the historic, restored brick manor house in Virginia Beach. Costumed docents will recreate the ceremony of the Yule log, hanging the Kissing Ball, the blessing of the Wassail Bowl and the preparation of Christmas goodies on the kitchen hearth.

Santa will be present to distribute free candy canes and refreshments.

Call 428-8015.

Christmas play set for Kempsville stage

Beach watercolorist shows work at Humana Bayside in December

Virginia Beach artist Debbie Babia will show a collection of eight watercolors at the Humana Gallery through December 31. The gallery, located in Bayside Humana Hospital, is a satellite space for local art sponsored by the Virginia Beach Arts Center.

Babia describes her work as "large floral studies" which are reminiscent of the colors and textures of the West, where she was born and raised in San Diego.

Currently, the artist is pursuing a fine arts degree from Tidewater Jan. 30.

Community College. In 1984, she was selected as a TCC student to participate in the Arts Center's "New Paint" show, which focused on new, young painters in the area.

The show is free and open to the public. Hours are Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Bayside Humana Hospital is located at 800 Independence Blvd. in Virginia Beach.

For more information, call the Virginia Beach Arts Center at 425-0000.

## Changing name is not simple for Cox Cable

By Lee Cahill  
City Council Reporter

What was described as a simple name change from Cox Cable Virginia Beach, Inc. to Cox Cable Hampton Roads, Inc. turned out not to be so simple for City Council which turned down the request Monday afternoon by a vote of 7-4.

Franklin R. Bowers, vice president/general manager of Cox Cable Virginia Beach, Inc., told Council the company which has a cable franchise with the city was requesting a simple name change which would save the company taxes under Section 332 of the Internal Revenue Service code.

Blow said the city would not allow the company to come into assets with the Norfolk and Portsmouth assets and that with no changes in the quality of service and no changes in the benefits to the subscribers, the legal department found no detriment to the city.

Mayor Robert G. Jones and other members of Council seemed perplexed about how a simple name change would effect tax savings.

Also, the city wanted to be sure its action would not involve the city in an anti-trust suit filed by the city's only other cable franchise, Resort Satellite Communications, Inc. of Virginia.

K. Thurman, attorney for Resort, and Alice Muller, one of the company's principals, opposed approval of the resolution.

Thurman said that with the merger of Cox properties, the assets would be combined, which would be a disadvantage to his client. By the action, he said, Cox would end his client's business.

Bowers said that the company proposed to substitute the new corporation for corporations in Norfolk and Portsmouth as well as Virginia Beach. He also said that any new name would do the job as well and that New Cox Cable Virginia Beach had been considered.

Randy Blow, assistant city attorney, said that the resolution would have no effect on the franchise agreement of May 1976. The company would still have to maintain a local office for billing and complaints, would still have

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## Violinists, guitarist and authors set for Maritime Museum's free open house

The Virginia Beach Maritime Historical Museum will present a Christmas open house on Saturday, Dec. 13 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission that day is free.

Scheduled activities include performances by Suzuki violinists of Virginia Beach and by a

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classical guitarist; an author's reading session; and a private party for museum members.

Gallery and gift shop decorations will be provided by the Cavalier Garden Club.

Call 422-1587 for more information.

## Crafts, food and Santa at Luxford's "Last Chance" bazaar

Luxford Elementary School will hold its "Last Chance" bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 13 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Crafts, food and Santa will be presented. Tables may be rented for \$7.50. Proceeds benefit the

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## Christmas dance for the handicapped set

PTA.

This is the first year for the bazaar, which is expected to raise about \$500.

The school is located at 4804 Haygood Road.

Call 497-4690 to rent a table or for more information.

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hits will be played. Parents and guardians are welcome, however, chaperones are present at all times.

Transportation is available through TRT at \$5 per roundtrip per individual. Call Carolyn Wismer at 853-8789 after 7 p.m. weekdays or anytime weekends if transportation is needed.

Participation is free. Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given. The latest

For further information call Lynn Gallop at 431-1148 or Harry Baird at 486-3110.

## Editorials

## Mounting support

Lieutenant Frank Drew of the Virginia Beach Police Department said he's given more than 150 press interviews since 1984 when the Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol began.

When interviewed, Drew usually talks about how city and police officials are glad that it costs the city less than \$20,000 a year to operate the patrol, which includes feed and bedding, veterinarian supplies, farrier services and grooming supplies. And all of the mounted patrol's horses were donated by the community.

The mounted patrol's law enforcement effectiveness has been well documented. The psychological barriers the horses break down between police officers and the community are many. But by most accounts, it was Frank Drew, himself a horse owner and lover, who made the unprecedented project a reality. In fact, Drew remembers with a laugh, there were some oceanfront innkeepers who declared that he could never get horses to patrol down Atlantic Avenue. But if you ask Drew what has contributed greatly to the patrol's success, he talks about Jerry Modlin, Cashman Arabian Farms' trainer.

The quiet but loyal support the Cashman family has given the department and the mounted patrol is admirable, if not inspiring. Modlin and Drew's greatest lament, however, is that more horse farm owners haven't offered to support the patrol. Perhaps they feel that Cashman Farms can do it alone. That their extra help is not needed.

But that is not true.

That's why a private foundation has been formally established to channel monies and gifts directly to the Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol.

The City of Virginia Beach, its citizens and visitors should not take for granted the mounted patrol or Cashman Arabian Farms' benevolence. The patrol is effective, but a broader base of support is needed for it to reach its eventual goal. - G.D.G.

### Guest Editorial

## Ferrets may attack

By Keith V. Zirkle, sanitarian,

Division of Environmental Health, Virginia Beach Health Dept.

With ferrets becoming increasingly popular as pets and Christmas fast approaching, many Virginia Beach pet owners are totally unaware of the dangers associated with owning one of these animals.

The Virginia Department of Health considers the ferret to be a wild or exotic animal and not a domesticated pet.

The ferret is a descendant of the European polecat which was originally raised to hunt rodents. Today, the animal still retains much of its hunter instinct and it is capable of vicious and unprovoked attacks. Within the last five years, there have been numerous reports of unprovoked brutal maulings of children. The ferret seems to be especially attracted to babies, often attacking when parents are away or asleep.

Another danger associated with ownership is that the ferret, like its relatives the skunk and weasel, is highly susceptible to rabies.

In the United States, there have been seven cases of pet ferrets developing rabies. One of these was reported in 1982 in Fairfax County. The Mid-Atlantic States which include Virginia are currently experiencing the most intense wildlife rabies outbreak ever reported.

While dogs and cats can be successfully vaccinated against rabies, there is no effective rabies vaccine for ferrets. Currently, there is very little known about how ferrets react to infection with the virus which causes rabies. There is no method of determining how long a ferret that has been infected by rabies virus may shed that virus in its saliva before symptoms of rabies are recognized. Therefore, when a person is bitten by a ferret the only way of assuring the person's safety against the universally fatal disease of rabies is to sacrifice the animal and test the brain for rabies virus. If the ferret is not sacrificed the person bitten must receive costly preventive treatment with immune globulin and rabies vaccine.

The Virginia Beach Health Department is particularly concerned at this time of year when many people may be considering the choice of a ferret for a child's pet. They would like the public to be aware of the potential dangers which in some cases could be fatal. The American Veterinary Medical Association has also recently recommended against keeping ferrets as pets. Before one considers investing his time, love, and money in a ferret as a pet he should be aware of the possible tragic consequences of having to euthanize his pet to protect the life of a human being.



### Letters to the Editor

## Become aware of school-based health clinics

Editor:

School-based Health Clinics, according to local sources, will be a top legislative priority in The Virginia General Assembly for 1987.

The proponents of these clinics (Planned Parenthood and The Virginia Department of Children, to name a few) are pushing to establish facilities within public high schools - statewide - that could provide family planning, prescriptions for contraceptives and abortion referrals.

The Norfolk School Board on October 28 gave their approval

for a clinic of this nature despite public opposition at hearings throughout the State during 1986.

The Wall Street Journal on October 14, 1986 published an informative report, concluded after a national study, entitled "Curbing Births, Not Pregnancies," by Stan F. Weed, Director of the independent Institute For Research & Evaluation in Salt Lake City. Mr. Weed's research indicates that the school-based health clinics were more effective at convincing teens to avoid birth than to avoid pregnancy. The

impact on the abortion and total pregnancy rates was exactly the opposite of the stated intentions of the program according to Weed.

I urge parents of adolescents in the Virginia Beach Public Schools to become aware and involved in the School-based Health Clinic issue by writing or calling your state representatives in the General Assembly, members of The Virginia Beach School Board and the superintendent of Schools.

Ruth S. Tally,  
Chesapeake, Va.

## Liquor purveyors must look to education

*The following article was contributed by the National Safety Council.*

Liquor liability has been an issue to alcohol purveyors since the 19th century when the courts held that intoxicated persons no longer bore sole responsibility for their actions.

"Dram Shop" laws were instituted by municipalities to protect the families of "habitual drunkards." The tavernkeeper was made financially liable to the family if the purveyor continued to serve a patron after being notified of the person's intemperance. In later years, such laws were extended to prevent injuries to strangers and to prevent persons from selling, furnishing or giving an alcoholic beverage to a minor.

Tavern owners and liquor store proprietors are generally responsible business, licensed by a municipality to provide a service

for its residents and guests. Preventing alcohol over-service to customers is a responsibility that is monitored by government agencies, grassroots organizations and community groups. Alcohol servers must realize the immense responsibility they have to both the community and to their patrons.

Since the nation's recent focus has been on the drinking driver, responsible beverage retailers are concerned with ways to keep customers from going onto a highway while alcohol-impaired.

Presently there are 38 states that have a "dram shop" statute or use common law to guide the courts when adjudicating a case involving server liability.

Further, some state courts continue to broaden the definition of a liquor "supplier." A California court held an employer who served liquor at an office Christmas party must pay damages to an

employee who was involved in a highway accident on the trip home, while a Texas court ruled a company which sent a worker home because he was too intoxicated to work is liable for damages from the ensuing accident.

A 1984 New Jersey Supreme Court decision further extended the liability to private citizens who "directly serve" liquor to a guest and allow the person to drive away in impaired condition. This provision holds the host or hostess liable for the injury to others if the guest becomes a victim in a motor vehicle accident.

Purveyors of alcohol must recognize they can minimize potential liability through an educational program for both the servers and patrons, so both fully understand the effects of alcohol and its responsible service and consumption.

## \$35,000 in worthless checks passed

Virginia Beach Crime Solvers is looking for members of a check writing ring who have passed over \$35,000 in worthless checks.

One of the members who has outstanding warrants for her arrest is Joyce Marie Bess. She also uses several aliases including Joyce Johnson, Beverly Klein and Karen Moore. Bess is white, 38 years old, 5' 2" tall, weighs 300 pounds, and has brown hair and brown eyes.

Several of Joyce Bess's relatives are believed to be involved and have used names

which include Kenneth Church, Joe Church, Barbara Church, Beverly Church, Kay Willis, Tina Bess, Beverly Johnson, Kim Jones and Vickie Moore.

If readers have information about any of the people involved in this or any other check writing ring, they should call Crime Solvers at 427-0000. A reward of up to \$1,000 will be paid for information that leads to an arrest. All calls are confidential and no names or court appearances are required.



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Letters to the editor are welcomed and encouraged. Letters should be typed, double-spaced and written in paragraph form. They should include the sender's name, address and phone number.

Letters may be written on all forms, but the editor reserves the right to edit as necessary. Send letters to The Virginia Beach Sun, 138 South Rosemont Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452.

## Notes

## Outstanding young people's names sought

The Virginia Beach Jaycees are accepting nominations for its 1986 Outstanding Young Persons awards. Winners will be honored on Wednesday, Jan. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Cavalier Oceanfront Hotel.

Nominations will be accepted in the following categories: Outstanding Young Educator; public law enforcement officer; medical professional; community servant; serviceman or woman; firefighter; rescue squad worker; farmer; city employee; banker; salesman or woman; and member of the hospitality industry.

For more information call Scott Rice, 461-5132.

## CLASP announces meeting

CLASP (Citizens Loving All Special People) will hold its monthly business meeting Thursday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bow Creek Recreation Center, 3427 Clubhouse Road.

All interested persons are also invited to attend.

For further information, call Lynn Gallop on 463-1148 or Harry Baird on 486-3110.

## Mrs. W. Whitehurst to address Adam Thoroughgood ladies

The Adam Thoroughgood Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Dec. 18, at 11:30 a.m., Little Creek Amphibious Base, Officers' Club-Gate 5.

The theme for the meeting is Good Citizenship. During the meeting The Chapter will recognize and present awards to The Chapter's DAR Good Citizens. These are students from Virginia Beach schools. In keeping with this presentation Mrs. G. William Whitehurst will speak on "Citizenship-Privilege and Responsibility."

Honorees for the meeting are Mrs. Richard S. Baird, Mrs. Richard H. Knight, and Mrs. Edgar A. Tugman. Reservations should be made by Dec. 11 to Mrs. Harry R. Brockmyer.

## Cooke P.T.A. members sought

The Cooke Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association is planning a "Founder's Day" for February.

The P.T.A. would like anyone who has been a member of the Cooke Elementary P.T.A. since its founding in 1904 to contact Judy DeFord at 425-5832.

## Free movies, lectures available at A.R.E.

The Association for Research and Enlightenment (A.R.E.) regularly presents free movies and lectures about Edgar Cayce, a famed psychic.

The A.R.E. is located on 67th Street. Call 428-3588.

## Service Awards Program

night set for Dec. 11

The City of Virginia Beach will present its 16th annual Service Awards Program on Thursday, Dec. 11 at 7 p.m. at the Pavilion.

Hire awarded by Mary Kay

Janice Hirt of Virginia Beach has been awarded the use of an Oldsmobile Firenza by Mary Kay Cosmetics, Inc. as a result of her accomplishments as an independent sales director.

## OP-ED

## LET'S TALK

By Rob Jones, president,  
Virginia Beach Education Association

## Attraction/Retention: Matter of community concern

Attraction  
of teachers

Teachers explain their decision to enter teaching by citing the importance of working with students and facilitating student learning. This suggests that the intrinsic rewards associated with helping students are powerful factors in attracting teachers to the profession.

But what about compensation? Saying that the intrinsic rewards

in teaching are important does not imply that monetary rewards are unimportant. Rather, it is to say that teachers have expectations regarding their entry salary and lifetime career earnings that are not unreasonable. They expect levels of pay that are commensurate with the levels of education and training that they bring to their jobs. It is only when these reasonable expectations are not met that the monetary factor in attracting teachers becomes critical.

alternatives. Thus, to the degree that teachers' levels of pay are not keeping up with those of other professions, we need to focus on improved salaries in attracting prospective teachers to the profession.

Retention  
of teachers

The research findings on retaining quality teachers in the profession naturally extend from the findings on attracting those same quality people. The degree to which teachers feel successful with students is of primary importance in teacher retention.

Teachers who leave education say they feel blocked in their attempts to reach students and help them learn.

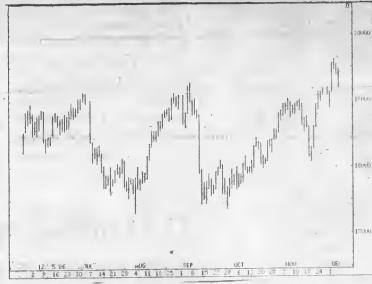
All of this has important implications in the retention of beginning teachers. Because of low salary, beginning teachers are likely to receive assignments involving the least favorable working conditions. While this varies greatly from school district to school district and from school to school, it is a factor, together with their relative isolation from colleagues, that typifies many schools. These factors, together with the salary issue, appear to be contributing to a high attrition rate among beginning teachers. If some projections turn out to be correct, about half of the current first-year teachers will be teaching seven years from now.

## It's beginning to look a lot like DOW 2000

## Wall Street

The Week  
Ahead

By George T. Stagg



Dow "break out" to new high above 1900 may signal 2000 before year's end.

day" two weeks ago. The instant gratification crowd is looking for DOW 2000 before Christmas and they might get it. However, some caution may be in order. They could get a penalty flag for over-reaching.

But make no mistake about it. It was an authentic "break-out" last week, after six months of

knocking on the door of 1900, and that would certainly justify DOW 2000 and beyond. So, it is now merely a matter of tactics. We would not chase the market until the traders ring the cash register and the market settles down. We would then pursue positioning our equity portfolios.

The overwhelming theme of this "Bull Market" is an ocean of

liquidity. Virtually billions are being funneled into mutual funds and other forms of stock and bond investments because the alternative, so-called "riskless investments," are not satisfactory. Based on our analysis of interest rates, returns on CD's and other money market investments are going to get even worse.

In the week ahead we get numbers on producer prices and retail sales along with a high level OPEC meeting beginning on the 11th. Tax considerations will loom large between now and year end. But this market will continue to navigate on this sea of liquidity trying to get to 1987, and beyond, before we do.

Finally, as we look wistfully over the headlines of the past few weeks, we think of Diogenes looking for an honest man. He was last seen in Alaska, heading north.

George Stagg is a registered Account Executive and Portfolio Manager with Prudential-Bache Securities on Laskin Road.

Last week's market break-out could well trigger a wave of euphoria throughout the canyons of Wall Street, the type of emotion into which traders often sell. It is not very often that the stock market makes headlines on page one of The New York Times.

Moreover, the DOW Industrial Average has advanced well over 100 points since "Boesky Tues-

## Stabilizing Crime

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continue. The benefits the police department receive is obvious. For Cashwan, the public relations value and personal satisfaction gained through the arrangement is immense.

But if you ask Modlin exactly why Cashwan Arabian Farms is so benevolent, he'll just shrug his shoulders.

"I really don't know why," the former professional rodeo bronc and bull rider softly replies. "We never asked ourselves 'why?' Somebody needed help and we helped them."

Cashwan Arabian Farms is managed by Jay Wilks. Jointly owned by Herbert and Hy Cashwan, until Herbert died in 1981, the farm is now owned by Hy, who lives in New York and co-manages the 35-acre facility. Cashwan Arabian Farms employs 14 people, according to Modlin, and currently has 55 stalls and 80 to 90 horses. The Cashwans for 18 years operated a training farm in Lago Mar. Sixteen years ago they added the Princess Anne Road breeding farm. Three years ago, the two were combined at its present location.

## Nothing Special

A typical day at Cashwan's

begins at 7 a.m. During the morning, after the horses are fed, some of the stallions are worked and some of the mares teased. And even if on some days the main arena will be filled by 11 a.m. with police, city officials, spectators and the press, Modlin maintains that special events like the recent mounted patrol graduation ceremonies have no effect on the day's work.

"We don't do anything special," Modlin said. "You don't have to do nothing special for friends."

"We didn't do anything special. You don't have to do nothing special for friends." —Jerry Modlin

The Cashwan organization is delighted with its relationship with the city, Modlin says, but wishes more local residents and horse owners would support the patrol, if in no other way, by attending the graduation ceremonies. He says he has seen few, if any, of the city's leading horse owners attend the ceremonies, which before this one were usually held outdoors.

When the police department went fishing for a way to sell the mounted patrol to city officials, Drew went to Modlin, with whom he had been friends for years, and asked him to don a policeman's uniform and cap and ride one of the Arabians for a three-minute videotape he was having produced. Modlin agreed, the tape was shot, presented to the Resort Area Advisory Board and City Council. Within days, the mounted patrol project was approved.

"This has been a friendship thing all along," Modlin said. "Nobody from Cashwan has received a thing for this," except a free copy of the videotape.

Financial contributions to local, state or federal governments are tax deductible, Drew said, but under standard procedures, such grants may not be earmarked to special projects, such as the mounted patrol. To alleviate this, the Friends of the Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol has been formed. It is a tax-free foundation through which the community can make donations directly to the patrol.

Nothing Special

## Law written to protect horses from assaults

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mounted officers make more arrests than others, Drew said.

Within a few years, Drew would like to see the patrol's size increase to 12. Ideally, he said he is looking forward to the day when foot patrols are eliminated, with the department relying totally on motor-scooters, motorcycles, horses, boats, helicopters, all terrain vehicles to cover beats.

The patrol has nine horses; two quarterhorses; three thoroughbreds; an Arabian; a Morgan; and two Tennessee Walking horses. Cashwan Arabian Farms donated three horses, but one was sent to Portsmouth, one was blind and the other is on duty. A couple of the horses are valued at more than \$20,000 each, Drew said.

## Don't hit a horse

To protect the horses from a sometimes violent public, Drew said laws have been changed to protect police horses, as well as

dogs, from assaults. The misdemeanor charge carries a \$250 fine. There have been

eight to 10 people, according to Drew, who have been convicted of assaulting horses.

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You may apply by mail, by telephone, or in person. Once a person is interviewed by phone, the rest may be handled by mail.

The best times to call the office to assure prompt service is during the latter part of the month, on

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recorded early in life or other evidence of birth; a copy of his or her W-2 form for the last year; or if self-employed, a copy of the self-employment tax return for the last year since recent reports may not yet be in the records.

If spouses and children are also eligible, evidence may also include a marriage license for a spouse and birth certificates of spouse and children.

People who have questions about retirement should be directed to the staff at the local Social Security office. The people there will be glad to help.

The Norfolk office is located at 200 Granby Mall in the Federal Building. The Virginia Beach office is located at 328 Constitution Drive, across from Pembroke Mall. The Portsmouth office is located at 1827 High Street and the Suffolk office is located in Washington Square Mall at 140 West Washington Street.



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## Nursing home sponsors White Elephant sale

The residents of Alliance Nursing Center are sponsoring a White Elephant Sale on Saturday, Dec. 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., at 776 Oak Grove Road, Chesapeake.

Items that will be sold include craft items, knick-knacks, books, clothing, etc. The proceeds will go to the residents and resident fund.

Donations of craft items, materials, books and odds and ends will be accepted for this sale.

All donations are appreciated.

For further information please contact Donna Millis at 547-

5156.

## Volunteers to serve as 'guardians' for elderly

Under the program ten volunteers will be trained to serve as guardians for impaired and elderly individuals.

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## Urban Development Housing Meeting

### Panelists to grapple with elderly housing crisis question

A panel discussion will address a potential housing crisis for senior citizens in Portsmouth on Friday, Dec. 12, at 8 a.m. at the Portsmouth Partnership Briefing Center in Central Fidelity Bank.

"Elderly Housing Options" will be the topic at the Urban Development Program Meeting, sponsored by The Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce-Portsmouth.

Panelists will include Vashti Ferguson, a state planner and housing specialist for the Virginia Department for the Aging; Robert Nox, director of Program Management also, at the aging department; and Gh-

"A growing senior citizen population and changes in housing development incentives are creating havoc in the lives of fixed income seniors," the release stated.

ny Becker, director of Portsmouth's Retired Senior Volunteer Program and chairwoman of the Mayor's Senior Citizens Commission.

According to a city press release, changes in availability of senior housing may soon produce an unanticipated housing crisis both in Portsmouth and across the state.

"A growing senior citizen population and changes in housing development incentives are creating havoc in the lives of fixed income seniors," the release stated.

The plight of senior citizens and the general senior citizen housing trends will be discussed at the meeting. Members of the Mayor's Senior Citizens commission will also be attending this meeting and will be available to answer questions.

The briefing center is on the third floor of Central Fidelity Bank, which is located on the corner of High Street and Crawford Parkway.

## \$1.35 million resthome to fill growing senior citizens market

Northside Associates of Portsmouth will begin construction of the Mayfair House, a \$1.35 million, 100-bed resthome for the elderly.

It will be located in the Northside Redevelopment Project on the northeast corner of Enterprise Way and Fort Lane.

The principals of Northside Associates, a Virginia Limited Partnership, are Larry L. Goldman, Dr. Edwin E. Goldman, and Jerry A. Goldman. Completion of the 25,000-square-foot resthome is scheduled for the summer of 1987, a press release

from the Portsmouth Redevelopment and Housing Authority (PRHA) said.

The Mayfair House, divided into three wings and situated on 1.3 acres, will provide private resident rooms, a greenhouse, pharmacy and landscaped courtyards along with other amenities for the residents' enjoyment, according to the release.

The Mayfair House, designed by the Yates Group, fulfills a growing need for the senior citizen housing market in the Hampton Roads area, according to PRHA.

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## Stabilizing Crime

Public ceremonies were recently held at Cashan Arabian Farms for the Virginia Beach Mounted Patrol's third graduation class, plus two officers from North Carolina. During the ceremonies, the mounted patrol demonstrated how the horses can be used for crowd control, as well as to affect arrest from horseback.



Police Lt. Frank Drew, left, and Jerry Modlin, trainer, Cashan Arabian Farms, take a moment to relax following the recent graduation. Modlin participated in the demonstration.



Marian Wall, left, wife of Virginia Beach Police Chief Charles Wall and Virginia Beach City Clerk Ruth Hodges Smith pet one of the Arabian horses.



Mounted Patrol getting into formation



The Crowd was enthralled by the activities



Displaying the colors



At the end, the mounted patrol circled horses

### Third Mounted Patrol class graduates

The third class of Virginia Beach's Police Mounted Patrol recently graduated.

The ceremony, which was held at Cashan Arabian Farms, 2352 Princess Anne Road, also featured a demonstration by the patrol, who carry out their police duties on horseback. Mounted Patrol officers can cover four to

six times the area of a walking beat and can travel into areas that automobiles cannot.

Virginia Beach's Mounted Patrol program was started in 1984, and four officers (two from Virginia Beach and two from North Carolina) will graduate from this third academy session.

### James Delaney completes electronics course

James P. Delaney, son of Dianne K. Clayton of Virginia Beach, has completed the Advanced Electronic Technician Course.

During the 10-week course conducted at the Naval Training Center Great Lakes, Delaney received instructions on the

operations, maintenance and repair of communication station receiver systems with an emphasis on antenna couplers, voice terminals, units and microwave equipment.

He joined the Navy in July 1985.

### Huggins graduates from Air Force basic training

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Eugene Kenneth Laubach, Deceased

NOTICE, is hereby given, pursuant to Section 64.1-171, as amended, Code of Virginia, that the undersigned Commissioner of Accounts, having been requested by J. Cameron Mann, Executor and Trustee of the Estate of Eugene Kenneth Laubach, deceased, has appointed the 23rd day of December, 1986, at 3:00 p.m., at 129 South Great Neck Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia, as the time and place for receiving proof of debts and demands against the decedent or his estate.

Stanley A. Phillips  
Commissioner of Accounts  
301-811-1210 VB

Office of the Commissioner of Accounts

Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia

December 2, 1986

Ethel M. Trice-Mills, Deceased

NOTICE, is hereby given, pursuant to Section 64.1-171, as amended, Code of Virginia, that the undersigned Commissioner of Accounts, having been requested by Sovran Bank, NA, Executor and Trustee of the Estate of Ethel M. Trice-Mills, deceased, has appointed the 23rd day of December, 1986, at 3:00 p.m., at 129 South Great Neck Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia, as the time and place for receiving proof of debts and demands against the decedent or her estate.

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# Council says no to name change

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changes are occurring throughout the country. The three local companies operate under Cox Cable of Tidewater which in turn operates under the parent company, Cox Enterprises which is based in Atlanta.

Councilwoman Reba McClellan remarked, "You all seem to change stories to suit the occasion."

The item appeared on the consent agenda which is intended to consist of routine items approved by one vote. Bowers said that without the opposition of the Beach franchise, he assumed the item would have been approved routinely.

"I don't want you to think we vote for everything on the agenda," McClellan said.

Bowers said that the name change would have to be made before the end of the year to effect any tax savings.

Councilman Albert Balko said that by combining the three operations, he didn't want to be subsidizing something in the other cities. Of the three, he said, Virginia Beach is obviously the growth area.

Bowers agreed that the proposal offered no advantage to the Beach, but nor would it result in a disadvantage. What name was selected was immaterial, he said.

Councilwoman Meyera Oberndorf opposed a name change that would eliminate the name "Virginia Beach." "Some of us natives are very proud of our city of Virginia Beach," she said, and did not want to lose their identity. She said that she was not comfortable with the concept since it implied no benefit to the city. She suggested using the name, New Cox Cable Virginia Beach or Virginia Beach Cox Cable.

Name change resolutions were to be considered by Norfolk and Portsmouth Tuesday.

Councilman John A. Baum moved to approve the change, seconded by Councilman Robert Fentress.

Oberndorf was ready to offer a substitute motion to defer the matter for a week to allow for time for a new resolution to be drawn using the name "New Cox Cable Virginia Beach."

Baum remarked that the matter should be settled which led Oberndorf to comment that

Baum "was right, the primary motion should be voted up or down and it should be done today."

The resolution was voted down with those voting in favor including Councilmen Baum, Harold Heischober and John Perry and Mayor Robert G. Jones.

## Turf Trade Show scheduled

The 27th annual Virginia Turf Conference and Trade Show is scheduled for Wednesday through Friday, Jan. 12 to 23, at the Pavilion Convention center.

Fifty-two speakers and 70 exhibitors will be featured.

Robert E. Menzer, former chairman of the Environmental Protection Agency's science advisory panel, will be the keynote speaker, talking on "Pesticide Paranoia--How Real Is the Risk?"

Other speakers will include Kathy Copley, editor of Grounds Maintenance magazine; Pat O'Brien, regional agronomist for

the U.S. Golf Association; Charles L. Bethke, director of research and development at the Michigan Peat Co., and Clinton Hodges, professor of plant pathology at Iowa State University. Speaker at the annual banquet will be humorist Jeanie Roberts, a former Miss North Carolina.

Additional information concerning the program or registration can be obtained from John R. Hall III, Extension agronomist, department of agronomy, Virginia Tech,

Blacksburg, Va. 24061 or by calling (703) 961-5797.

## Hotline offered for holiday pressures

Tidewater Psychiatric Institute will be offering a "Holiday Blues Hotline" to help people deal with the pressures of the holiday season.

This 24-hour service can be reached by calling 547-9007. Calls will be handled by trained professionals.

## Scriptural artist to show paintings at local gallery

The Kempsville location of Village Gallery in Fairfield Shopping Center will be hosting a return exhibition of paintings by scriptural artist Leana Fay.

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## The Mayor's Report

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By Robert G. Jones, Mayor  
City of Virginia Beach

The fundamental test in a democracy of political decisions is the expression of the public's opinion in an election. Such tests restructure all the complexities before the public into a final, binary simplicity: for or against.

Since the results so compactly encode the diffuse thoughts of all the individual voters, they require analysis and interpretation to unpack, or decode, the "real" message they send. To move beyond the basic outcome, that the majority signal prevails, and choose a future political course in uncharted waters, it is invaluable to be able to read and understand the public mind and the public will at such bedrock moments in time.

On Nov. 4 the Virginia Beach voters decided four referenda items: bonds for roads, schools and a recreation center, and the direct election of the mayor. Of those voting on each question, the results were as follows:

\$40 Million for roads, 66% for; \$32 Million for schools, 68% for; \$9.5 Million for recreation center, 44% for; and Direct Election of mayor, 89% for.

The bonds approved are the largest amount ever in the history of the city. When considered in light of the fact each entailed an announced increase in the real estate tax rate, the results for roads and schools were undoubtedly "landslides." Even more, the 9 to 1 approval of the direct election of the mayor was so resounding as to speak for itself.

The interesting questions, though, involve what these results mean for the life of the City of Virginia Beach. A Virginia Beach newspaper editor interpreted the results as a compliment to city council, since they showed, in his opinion, that "the council and the public are singing off the same sheet of music."

To see the results in the most meaningful context for local politics, however, they doubtless must be considered in light of the fact, as stated in a previous Report, that the growth issue is the paramount concern of Virginia Beach voters. That is the common background for the interpretations given by local editors. As one wrote:

"Voters were sending a message about the city's rapid growth rate. Tuesday's overwhelming vote in favor of road bonds is an indication that voters have more confidence in the new, slow-growth council. The voters appear to be saying: If you (members of the council) will do your best to limit new growth, we'll provide money to pay for the old growth."

Writing in a similar vein, another editor added:

"Since [the new council took office in July, they have legislated a halt to development in the south, instituted a first-things-first policy for capital improvements, put the School Board on a short leash, and hatched a 10-year road construction program.

They also crafted a plan for direct election of mayor, an idea that previous councils favored but could never seem to get implemented. It was on the ballot Tuesday, passing by a 9-1 margin. Voters, not the council, will elect the next mayor in 1988.

That's far more than most city councils accomplish in two years. And voters rewarded

them Tuesday night."

These informed city observers are on the mark: council unquestionably did get a strong vote of confidence for its work. The voters' decisive endorsement of the council's plan to open the election for the chief political officer of the city to the electorate itself shows a particular consensus between the council and the public. Even the

initiates dialogue among and between the council and the public and, second, leads to actions to close the gap. The task of the next Report, to be issued at the start of the New Year, will be to offer a plan that should lead, in the end, to action. One thing is for sure, success will come only if council keeps its eye on the ball.

In the meantime, the following summarizes the highlights of council's work in the month of November.

### School Board Appointments.

For the first time, the council conducted open interviews with persons who indicated an interest in serving on the school board. Ten candidates for the three positions came forward for 15 minute interviews. After a public hearing on Dec. 8, council will fill the openings on Dec. 15.

### Revision of Comprehensive Zoning Ordinances.

Councilmen Barbara Henley, Reba McCausland and Nancy Parker have been working with staff and three members of the Planning Commission to update the CZO. Council has over a period of many months made requests to the commission for revisions and the CZO itself has been amended many times.

This has created a backlog and a patchwork ordinance that needs thorough review. A draft of the proposed revision is expected in March 1987, and the changes will significantly affect the future development of the city.

### Billboards and Signs.

One specific request to the Planning Commission which the council could be expected was a recommendation on billboards. This follows the action of council to lower signs and reduce the size of their surfaces, and reflects a heightened concern of council to enhance the aesthetics of the city. This was highlighted when council refused to grandfather signs on Virginia Beach Boulevard which had to be moved by the improvements currently in progress.

### Legislative Package.

The council worked to refine the requests to be made of the city's legislative delegation for revisions to the state's statutes at the upcoming session of the General Assembly. The full package is to be adopted in time to meet with the delegation on Dec. 16.

### Beach Replenishment.

The long standing concern of council over the commitment of funds to begin replenishment of the Sandbridge beach was tentatively resolved by the adoption of five resolutions which encourage seeking all possible funding from federal and state sources and expresses the interest of council that the Sandbridge beach be preserved.

The city received a communication from Vivian Watts for the state indicating that sand would not be available from the Thimble Shoals dredging project. The state seems content to allow the city to hope sand might be available from the Baltimore channel dredging, but seems unwilling to take any leadership in behalf of the city to assure that this source would be used to the benefit of the city.

### Target Area Tour.

The council took a bus tour of the city's target areas to become familiar with where they are and the work that has been done in them in regard to housing and infrastructure.

### Joint Meetings with School

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Mayor Robert G. Jones

recreation center vote does not fit this consonance when two facts are considered:

• a shift of only 3.2% of the vote from "no" to "yes" would have carried the question.

• the 12 precincts closest to the proposed location of the center all gave majority support to it, despite the likelihood that these precincts include the most tax sensitive in the city.

Had the strong opposition of Bayside voters been anticipated, a better "package" could have been readily conceived that would likely have swung the 3.2% of the vote needed to pass it. The vote reflects a rejection of the geography rather than of the concept of replicating the highly successful Kempsville Center in other locations around the city.

A vote of confidence, however, as any parliamentary system shows, is but a passing signal and not a message guaranteeing permanent support.

In the dynamic flux of public opinion, confidence is a factor that must continually be earned anew. Thus the basic message the election sent, in actuality, is a surface encouragement which wraps a profound challenge to city council. The tentative partnership between the electorate and the council, properly characterized as a token of hope as much as anything, challenges the council to rightly answer the question.

Both by law and by common expectancy, council is the leadership forum where the future welfare of the community is most centrally decided. If Virginia Beach is to emerge as a great American city, rather than as an unfortunate and happenstance concentration of population, the council must set out an agenda for the future of the city that both genuinely responds to the needs of the people and inspires their confidence and pride.

Only by thus capturing the imagination of the city at large will the encouraging promise raised by the election become the realized potential of the future Virginia Beach. That challenge is now council's basic work: to close the gap between where Virginia Beach is and where it could be.

This work calls for an agenda to be formulated that, first,



Kim Powell sings at King's Island

Kim Powell of 312 Busher Road in Virginia Beach, is a featured performer at King's Island's Winterfest '86. The local resident ap-

pears in an original live show entitled "Home for the Holidays" at the theme park's fifth annual winter event. Winterfest '86 in King's Island, Ohio, is open daily and will continue until New Year's Eve. (It will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.)

## Virginia Beach Pops launching subscription concert series with two holiday concerts at Pavilion

The Virginia Beach Pops will present its fourth pair of subscription concerts, beginning Sunday, Dec. 21 with 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. performances at the Pavilion Theatre.

The Norfolk Pro Musica will be the featured vocal group. They will perform choruses from Bach's Magnificat, including "Magnificat," "Omnis Generationes," "Feci Potentiam," "Sicut Locutus Est," and "Gloria Patri."

The first portion of the concert will begin with Strauss' "Die Fledermaus;" the Bloch "Prayer" with cello solo.

featuring principal cellist Leonid Zilper; Tchaikovsky's "Dance of the Mirlitons" and "Festive Sounds of Chanukah," by Holcombe will conclude the opening portion.

The last third of the concert will include "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" arranged by James Kreger, Anderson's "Christmas Festival" and "Sleigh Ride."

There will also be several encores in the spirit of the season. Both concerts sponsored by CBN cable.

For ticket information call the Pavilion box office at 428-8000.

## Creative arts program for children held this winter at Beach Arts Center

By Lynn Somers

Virginia Beach Arts Center

This winter the Virginia Beach Arts Center is sponsoring Art-Saturdays, a visual and performing arts program for children seven to 12. During the months of January and February 1987, eight consecutive Saturdays are devoted to sparking awareness and creative abilities in children.

Classes are held in the Arctic Avenue studios and include a range of media from painting and drawing to photography, clowning, mime and fantasy. One class is held each Saturday, with different time sessions for kids seven to nine years, and 10 to 12 years.

Children sign up for one or

both months. January's theme is "Art Around the World." February's theme is "Kingdoms of Nature." Four participating artists/educators teach each month: Meryl Ann Butler, Susan Garnett, Suzanne Stevens, Lynne Sward, Michelle Tillander and Judy Vermillion.

Art-Saturdays is open to the public to participate. Costs are \$30 per child per month, including all art materials. January Saturday dates are the 10, 17, 24, and 31. February Saturday dates are the 7, 14, 21, and 28. Times are 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 12:30 - 2 p.m. Spaces are limited, so call the Virginia Beach Arts Center today to register your children. 425-0000.

## Virginia Beach Arts Center announces winter courses/seminars begin in January

By Lynn Somers

The Virginia Beach Arts Center's seasonal art studio school will commence the week of Jan. 12 and will continue for eight weeks through March 2.

A variety of media and approaches to both studio art and

art history will be offered. New selections this winter include a slide/lecture series with Norfolk art historian Michael Flynn and a six-week seminar focusing on women's problems and issues in art, facilitated by Virginia Beach

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s at a glance: a wrap-up

By James D. Barr

Staff Writer

Here is a summary of some of the recently published news events affecting Virginia Beach.

Croshaw wins

In the political arena, Glenn R. Croshaw was elected to replace Owen B. Pickett as Virginia Beach's House of Delegates representative. Only 25 percent of the voters exercised their voting privileges in the election, but those that did gave Croshaw nearly 700 more votes than his opponent, Melvin M. Spence.

### Dam Neck Rezoning

The decision on rezoning a 600-home subdivision at Dam Neck was put off until the new year as questions of the ecological impact arose. Pollution to the Back Bay was discussed and the project was delayed two months as guidelines are worked out.

### Subsidies

The tragedy behind the suicide of Wanda Jean Honeycutt, 22, who leaped to her death from the 14th floor of an oceanfront condominium, ended with local residents donating gifts to cover the cost of her funeral, flowers and gravesite.

Her body was not claimed by her family after her death because they were too poor to pay for the services. The sets of charity totaled over \$3,700, though a grave marker is still needed.

### Library videos

Virginia Beach residents will be able to obtain videocassettes at their local library, starting late next year. All you will need is your library card to borrow tapes from a selection of 1,000 cassettes that will be located at the Virginia Beach Public Library now under construction on Virginia Beach Boulevard.

### Swimming efforts

Gary Antonick, 23, fell short in his effort to swim 24 hours lengths of a pool in 24 hours. But his effort at the Virginia Beach YMCA was not a failure in the eyes of the many who encouraged him from Saturday morning until Sunday in his efforts to get into the Guinness Book of World Records.

In another swimming effort of heroic stature, an unnamed Navy man swam two miles from his overturned craft to shore to alert authorities of the mishap. The three others who stayed with the boat were rescued by helicopters off Rude Inlet an hour after the man reached shore.

### Dielch death

Questions surrounding the death of Dominic J. "Andrew" Dielch were brought to the surface again when an autopsy report revealed scars, bruises and blisters on his body.

Andrew was one of 17 children Michael, 41, and Karen, 36, Dielch were responsible for and much of the case has been focused on the way they disciplined them.

### Dogs poisoned

Friends of Jackie Diech of Princess Anne Plaza were shocked when all three of their dogs were apparently poisoned early last week. The dogs were friendly with all the children in the neighborhood and the reason behind the dogs' deaths is still a question mark.

### 25th homicide

The murder of Carole Morrison, Virginia Beach's 25th homicide, still has police baffled. Too many questions are still unanswered for police to put together the crime.

What happened during the last hours of her life--where she went and where she got from where her car was to where the body was found--is still being investigated.

## Editorials

## In praise of charity

When Wanda Jean Honeycutt committed suicide a few weeks ago, she was alone. Her body lay unclaimed in the Norfolk Crime Lab for one week while police tried to locate relatives. When found, they refused to claim the body because they were too poor to pay for the services.

But yesterday she was buried by many "friends" she never knew.

In the place of a pauper's funeral, local businessmen and other residents donated what was needed to give her a proper burial.

The news account said of the people who gave, "None of them wanted publicity for their acts of charity, but all said they felt sorry for the young woman and the way her short and tragic life ended."

*But the acts of charity in response to this tragedy should be held in high esteem by the community. Though the history of man records man's depravity and his inhumanity to others, there are those events and actions which reflect the love which is possible between man. We praise those that acted charitably toward Wanda Jean Honeycutt.*

In these hectic weeks between Thanksgiving and Christmas it is easy to get caught up in the hub-hub of activities. Too many times these very activities gloss over the real meaning behind these two holidays.

When this happens, only we are the losers. Miss Honeycutt should remind us of what is really important in life. It is important to remember the real meaning of Christmas.

During the holiday season, it is tragic that a woman of 22 should choose to end her life by suicide. It is tragic that the poverty of her family did not allow them to help in the very end.

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## At what cost growth?

Virginia Beach is growing fast. All of us enjoy the benefits of a growing economy.

But at what price?

A case in point is before the City Council. The proposed 600-home development at Dam Neck has been delayed until the council can better assess its impact on the city's environmentally fragile Back Bay area.

The problem facing them is not a new one. Do you continue growth, build a new neighborhood and add more tax revenue, even with the possibility of incurring some ecological problems; or, do you protect the Back Bay and sacrifice the growth?

*Any negative effects that development places on Back Bay are not easily reversed. Their result will be felt for generations, not just terms of office. Short term gains must be weighed against the long term consequences.*

Every politician knows that maintaining prosperity for their constituency is one of the best ways to stay elected and retain office. But the principles behind this type of decision should override political ambitions.

Any negative effects that development places on Back Bay are not easily reversed. Their result will be felt for generations, not just terms of office. Short term gains must be weighed against the long term consequences.

When the council members make their decision in a few months, it is hoped that they have their voter's best interest, and their voter's children's best interest in mind. —J.D.B.



## Letters to the Editor

## P.A. student's letter prompts action, reply by city official

Editor, The Virginia Beach Sun: In a recent letter to the editor in The Virginia Beach Sun, Eileen Quinn, a Princess Anne High School student, expressed concern about the traffic situation at the school as it relates to Virginia Beach Boulevard. I am happy to report the following:

This situation has previously been called to our attention by the school administration and, as a result, our Traffic Engineering Division conducted traffic studies substantiating the justification and need for installing a traffic

signal at that location. We subsequently asked the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation to include the installation of a traffic signal as part of the Virginia Beach Boulevard reconstruction project which they currently have under construction. I am pleased to say that the State Highway Department has agreed to that request.

The design for that signal has recently been completed and orders for the required equipment are now being processed. I should point out that the signal

is required for the installation must be manufactured, and that process may require as much as several months, but as soon as the equipment is received, the state may begin the actual construction.

We appreciate and share her concern for traffic safety, and thank her for caring enough to bring this situation to our attention.

C. Oral Lambert, Jr.,  
Director  
Department of Public Works  
City of Virginia Beach

## O'Brien calls for tighter academic standards

Editor, The Virginia Beach Sun: Although I have put aside my "no pass, no play" proposal for the time being, I intend to pursue ways, through legislation if necessary, to guarantee higher academic standards within the high schools of the Commonwealth, particularly among athletes.

The new "Take 5 - Pass 5" standard of the Virginia High School League is a step in the right direction but does not go far enough. (For your readers, the Virginia High School League sets eligibility standards for extracurricular activities like dramatics, cheerleading, and athletics.)

Most youngsters, including athletes, pay attention to their studies because they have diligent parents (or peers).

Others need an "external influence." I know from experience. Without divulging which kind of athlete I was in high school, had I not had a coach and

a teacher who took me aside before it was too late and said, "Listen, kid..." there was no way I would ever have gotten into college, with or without a football scholarship.

Academic standards need to be tightened even more. A "Take 5 - Pass 5" standard simply keeps a few students eligible (with five "Ds") who otherwise would likely flunk out.

The danger of this standard is that it might encourage otherwise good students to perform at the minimum satisfactory level required to stay eligible.

The high school principals and teachers need more authority.

I would like to see every school

appoint a teacher (from the English, math, history or science departments) to monitor the performance of students in extracurricular activities, with the authority to bar any student from practice for flagrant academic non-performance. Truancy, cutting classes, failing to turn in homework or papers due, or

disruptive behavior in the classroom would be examples.

The athletic department would have to abide by decisions of the academic monitor. Only the principal could overrule the monitor's decision, and only for sound reasons that went beyond the value of the student to the extracurricular activity.

I would introduce legislation that would provide funding to pay monitors for these additional responsibilities.

From experience as a player and a coach, I know what will happen about the second time a coach or drama teacher is told that student Jones cannot practice today because he didn't turn in his math homework. The youngster will be called in for one of those "Listen, kid" lectures, and it might very well be the best thing that ever happened to him.

J.W. ("Billy") O'Brien, Jr.,  
Chairman,  
Committee on Education  
Virginia General Assembly

## Commentary

## Tribble's letter reflects commitment to Bay clean-up

U.S. Senator Paul Tribble has urged the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to maintain the federal government's commitment to clean up the Chesapeake Bay.

The following is the text of a letter Tribble reportedly sent to EPA Administrator Lee Thomas:

"It is essential that the federal

commitment to clean-up the bay be maintained. This is a critical time for the Bay. A continuation of EPA's current appropriation for Bay clean-up activities during the coming fiscal year will ensure that we can continue to reverse the long decline of a unique and vital resource.

Great strides have been made

tanks to the commitment of

federal, state and local authorities. I am confident that your continued strong support will alleviate the Bay's pollution problems and enhance the clean-up effort in coming years.

The Chesapeake Bay Clean-Up Program is a model for other bodies of water in the United States. President Reagan

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## Write Us A Letter

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Letters may be written on all topics, but the editor reserves the right to edit as necessary. Send letters to The Virginia Beach Sun, 138 South Rosemont Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23426.



The Urban Forest  
By Paul Revell  
State Forester

## Christmas trees offer tradition

Each year thousands of Virginia Beach families bring a natural Christmas tree into their homes. This tradition endures year after year, but how did it get started?

According to historians, trees were decorated in winter celebrations long before there was a Christmas. In the British Isles, Druid sorcerers hung golden apples and lit candles on oak trees to celebrate the winter solstice. In the middle ages, the feast of Adam and Eve was held on Dec. 24 and a fir tree hung with red apples was its symbol. Almost every Northern European culture gave significance to certain evergreen trees because of their unchanging character the year round. Firs and junipers were always brought inside at the winter solstice.

Historians believe that a non-Christian religious festival held centuries ago in Germany's Harz Mountains was the beginning of our Christmas tree custom. It is generally believed the use of the evergreen as part of the Christmas tree celebration started 400 years ago in Germany and spread throughout Northern Europe by the 19th century.

Hessian mercenaries brought the custom to the United States during the Revolutionary War. A Philadelphia newspaper story in 1825 commented on decorated trees in German immigrant homes during the Christmas season. In 1842, a German named Charles Minnegerode introduced the custom locally in Williamsburg. His tree was described as being decorated with strings of popcorn, nuts and candies.

The first recorded Christmas tree retail lot was set up in New York City in 1851 by one Mark Carr. This Pennsylvania hauled by ox balsam fir trees from the Catskills. Balsam fir remained the best selling and most popular tree until 1965 when the lush western Douglas fir and east coast grown Scotch pine supplanted it in popularity.

Today the Christmas tree shopper has a variety of species from which to choose. Besides balsam fir, Douglas fir and Scotch pine, the buyer can select from Norway spruce, blue spruce, Fraser fir, red pine, Austrian pine, white pine, Virginia pine and red cedar. Fraser fir is generally the most expensive while white pine and Scotch pine make excellent Christmas trees at a more modest cost. Though overlooked locally, red cedar makes an excellent Christmas tree and decorates many homes in the deep South.

White pine and Scotch pine are the basis of a developing Christmas tree industry in Eastern Virginia. Growers are working with Virginia pine and Norway spruce as well. In a few years, locally grown trees will be available to keep the Christmas tree tradition going in Virginia Beach.

## James Barr joins The Sun staff

The Virginia Beach Sun has announced the hiring of James D. Barr as staff reporter.

Prior to coming on staff, Barr was a student in the Institute of Journalism at CBN University in Virginia Beach where he was pursuing a master's degree in public affairs journalism.

Barr, 28, is married, and he and his wife Beth have two children, Abigail, age 2, and Adam, 6 weeks.

## Legislators face choices: political expedience vs. longterm planning

### LET'S TALK



By Rob Jones, president,  
Virginia Beach Education Association

The tax reform battle has moved down 1-95 from Washington, and will soon be waged in the Virginia Legislature. As Virginia stands to gain from 3 to 5 percent of total state revenue, we will decide how the surplus should be used.

The question being considered by legislators is, "Should I vote to rebate the surplus revenues with a general election, or should I vote to use this surplus to address urgent problems in education, corrections, and other areas?"

The elimination of many former federal deductions will

automatically trigger higher revenues for Virginia, as Virginia uses the federal definition of taxable income. If no changes are made, Virginia's taxpayers will be taxed at the current state rate, but on a greater portion of their income.

Virginia's revenues should rise by \$183.8 million in fiscal year 1988, \$232.9 million in 1989, and \$263 million in 1990.

**Gramm-Rudman cuts... should certainly be a factor.**

Are there reasons other than the well documented needs of education, corrections, and other state agencies for at least postponing action to allow the politically expedient rebate checks on election eve?

The projected negative effects of Gramm-Rudman's cuts in federal funding to the states should certainly be a factor, as should the slow but sure downturn of the economic indicators, which may foreshadow a decline in tax revenues.

In addition, any increase in the sales tax, which is essential to addressing the needs of education, may face greater opposition as these taxes are no longer federally deductible. There are sound fiscal reasons for opposing the popular rebate solution to the windfall.

"Excellence in Education; A Plan for Virginia's Future: The

Report of the Governor's Commission on Excellence in Education," which was released in October of this year, contains a plan to make Virginia's schools among the top ten in the nation. The report has received a cool reception because it would be expensive to implement.

This report concluded that: "Far more money will be needed to attain the educational system the future will demand. Extra spending alone will not guarantee quality. But we cannot make headway without it."

For Virginia, the impact of the new federal tax law is an opportunity to increase support of the schools that will serve the citizens of Virginia's 21st century.

I urge our legislative representatives to reject political expedience in favor of the ultimate good of our commonwealth.



The Virginia Beach  
Education Association

## Stay warm and safe with portable heaters



### Fire Safety

By Martin Grube  
Master Fire Fighter

closed manufacturer's brochure cover to cover.

A portable space heater is not to be used as a primary source of heating the home. This puts an abnormal strain on the unit and could overheat. The unit should be equipped with an emergency cutoff switch if the heater is knocked over. Periodically check the cord for cracks or fraying. To do this, simply unplug the cord and run your fingers over the entire length and bend the cord slightly until reaching the end. If the cord is cracked or has been smashed by a heavy piece of furniture, replace the cord at once.

Do not place the heaters near furniture, drapes or anything combustible. Do not put the space heaters in a passageway where loose clothing could be ignited if brushed up against it. If you smell smoke, quickly check these areas and call the fire department if you cannot locate the problem. Do not hesitate dialing 911! Where there's smoke, there's fire. Who said that?

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## Arts studio courses set

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Judy Vermillion.

Flinn will present six evenings on ancient art and culture of India, Greece and Rome. His colorful panorama of slides promises to be entertaining and informative.

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## Tribal urges Bay cleanup

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Last year, EPA, Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia worked

together to develop the Chesapeake Restoration Plan, which clearly defined the general objectives of a cooperative federal-state program to clean-up the Bay. The Restoration Plan has laid a solid foundation. However, it is only a foundation. The next step is to define specific water quality standards, Bay-wide strategies and goals for all the tributaries of the Bay.

## Wildlife Film

Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge will host an afternoon of wildlife films in the Visitor Contact Station Auditorium on Sunday, Dec. 28, from 1-3:30 p.m.

Films to be shown will specifically highlight waterfowl and other wildlife of special concern. The classic "So Little Time" will be presented as well as "Wildlife, Wetlands and You - The Duck Stamp Story," "Black Duck Identification," "Flight of the Snows," and more.

## The Mayor's Report

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**Board and Community Services Board.** Following the bus tour, the council held separate meetings with the School Board and the Community Services Board. Each group provided council with the opportunity to become more familiar with their concerns and needs.

In addition, the council was treated to a breakfast by Congressman-elect Owen

Pickett. This was the first such opportunity for council in many years. The staff had prepared a list of concerns in the city's relations with the federal government, particularly in regard to the Army Corps of Engineers. Four members of council attended the National League of Cities convention in San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Meyera Oberndorf, Mrs. Reba McClanion, Mr. Albert Balko, and myself.

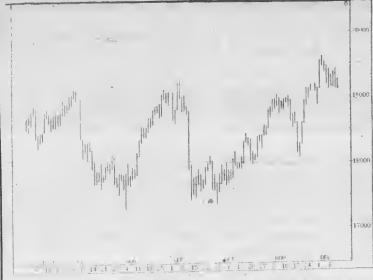
## After building a base above the 1900 level, mankind appears in good shape

### Wall Street

#### The Week Ahead



By George T. Stagg



Dow finds support at 1900 level and investors wonder if 2000 target can be reached

Wall Street will be very interested in any communiqué out of Geneva.

In addition, this week we add to the hopper figures on housing starts, personal income and revisions of third quarter gross national product. Stir slowly over moderate heat.

Technically, after building a base above the 1900 level, the market appears to be in shape for a final happy fade into the sun-set.

Quiet on the set, please... Roll on.

George Stagg is a registered Account Executive and Portfolio Manager with Prudential Securities located on Laskin Road in Virginia Beach.

A majority of Virginia Beach homes use a heat pump for the primary source of heat, and many consumers use portable space heaters to assist these units. Space heaters must be used safely and correctly in order to be beneficial. When you purchase a new space heater, read the en-

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## "How to start a small business" seminar set

By E.T. Buchanan, dean,  
Campus and Community Services,  
Virginia Beach Campus  
Tidewater Community College

The failure rate is staggering.

Nearly 80% of all new business flounder in the first three years.

The outlook in food services is even more bleak. Only 10% of all new restaurants survive into their fourth year. If you plan to start a new business, the odds are decided against you.

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In response to this need for practical information on small business practices, Tidewater Community College and the Virginia Beach Small Business

Committee of the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce will co-sponsor "How to Start A Small Business," a four-week series geared to individuals interested in starting a business or those who are already in business.

The seminar will be conducted in four separate workshops. In order to facilitate individual schedules, two sessions on each topic will be offered: one on Friday evenings (7 through 9:30 p.m.) and the other on Saturday mornings (9 through 11:30 a.m.). Although the entire series will be especially beneficial for those seriously considering starting a business, participants may also register for individual sessions.

Session One, entitled "Is a

Small Business Right for You?"

(Jan. 9 or Feb. 14), will focus on the characteristics of successful entrepreneurs, the rewards and costs of owning a small business, and the need for setting realistic goals.

Session Two, "Small Business Planning," (Jan. 16 or Feb. 21), examines the need for planning, estimating costs, forecasting sales, and break-even analysis. Participants will have the opportunity to set up and analyze a long-range business plan.

"How to Find Available Financing" is the topic for Session Three, (Jan. 23 or Feb. 28). Various financing options will be considered. Participants will also determine how much capital is

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# Council focuses on Beach traffic problems

**By Lee Cahill**  
City Council Reporter

The most recent resort area plan calls for less street, more sidewalks, elimination of parking on stub and side streets leading into Atlantic Avenue and two-way traffic on Atlantic Avenue and all but two of the side streets.

The report—the Virginia Beach Resort Area Circulation System: a Proposed Concept—was prepared by a joint committee of the Resort Area Advisory Commission and the Virginia Beach Hotel and Motel Association.

"Henry Ruiz, the city's resort programs director, said the decline in the resort area can be

traced to one major cause, the automobile. Providing amenities and conveniences for the driver has pushed the pedestrian aside, he told Council Monday afternoon at a work session.

The thrust of the recommendations in the report, which took six months to prepare, is to make room for pedestrians.

The joint project came into being after the city experimented with one-way traffic on Atlantic Avenue, recommended by the Resort Area Advisory Commission. The merchants opposed the change.

The intent of the newest plan is to get some of the traffic off of

Atlantic and onto Pacific and other arteries. The sidewalks on Atlantic would be enlarged at the expense of the street and made attractive with landscaping.

Councilwoman Reba McClanahan remarked that the city has been waiting a long time for an acceptable plan, but that Council should appoint a design review committee. She said that many establishments have been built recently that don't look any better than what was there. "If we're going to spend money," she said, "we should have some control."

When Council adopts the plan, she said, it should also adopt the formation of a review committee.

The appearance of what's done in the private sector, she said, is just as important as what the city does.

McClanahan also expressed skepticism about a proposal to locate elevated platforms (four to ten feet high) on Atlantic Avenue at 4th Street, 6th Street, Norfolk Avenue, 17th Street, 19th Street, 21st Street, 22nd Street and 31st Street and a key location north to 31st Street.

The idea is to provide a police presence on Atlantic Avenue, but McClanahan remarked, that "you would feel as though you're being watched every move you make."

To try out the plan, the com-

## Council members debate road and school bond; taxes increased

City Council Monday afternoon increased the real estate tax by 8.7 cents bringing the tax rate to 88.7 cents per \$100 valuation.

The increase, effective July 1, 1987, was the amount voters were told would be needed to finance \$40 million in road bonds, \$32.3 million in school bonds and ultimately an additional \$30 million in pay-as-you-go road construction.

Voters approved the \$72.3 million for roads and school bonds in November referendum.

While Council unanimously approved the five percent tax increase for the road construction, the 3.7 cent increase for schools was passed by a 7-4 vote.

The vote followed the 5-6 defeat of a proposal by Councilman Harold Heischober to delay part of the increase for schools. Heischober reasoned that all of the money would not be needed when the bonds would be available to the city.

He proposed instead to raise the tax by five cents for roads and two cents for schools for a total increase of 8.7 cents but committing the city to an additional increase of .017 per \$100 valuation effective July 1, 1988.

Voting for the Heischober plan were Councilmen Heischober, Robert Fentress, John A. Baum, Albert Balko, and Councilwoman Reba McClanahan.

Fentress then voted with the majority to establish the 3.7-cent

increase.

Heischober pointed out that a five percent increase in the real estate assessments combined with the tax rate increase for roads, would actually increase the real estate tax by 14.4 percent. This would mean an average increase in taxes of \$240 to \$250 a year. He said that although the people understood an 8.7 cent increase would be needed to finance the bonds, if Council decided less was needed, they would be happy.

Assuming the schools are on line in 1988 as expected, he said, payments on the bonds do not occur until one year later and may not occur even in 1988-89. His suggestion, he said, was for a one-year increase instead of two. "I'd rather see the million dollars in the hands of the citizens than in the city which may not need it for debt service."

McClanahan agreed, saying that historically and traditionally, the State has dictated proceeds for tax levies. Surpluses are not traditional with this state, she said. "We're all taxpayers," she said, and between being a Council member and a taxpayer, she said, her biggest concern is as a taxpayer.

McClanahan added that the consideration of the levy now was "almost a waste of time," because it should have been included in the spring when the operating budget is being considered.

Heischober said that if the city could sell all the bonds immediately and keep the interest, that would be nice, but the law allows the city to earn only six months interest. "The timing of the sale is predicted on the school openings, and the tax dollars will not be needed until January 1989.

McClanahan also pointed out that a school normally can't be built in less than two years, from the planning to the completion. Mayor Robert G. Jones said he agreed with both sides, but that it would be better to stick with the announced amount rather than make another adjustment later.

He said the unknowns in the formula, which can vary the tax needed by two percent, included an expanded tax base, interest rates on the bonds and the cost of the facilities.

He said that the increase will mean a \$300 increase on a \$300,000 home and a \$13.40 increase on an \$80,000 home.

Councilwoman Meyer Oberndorf pointed out that the 8.7 cent was not devised by the Council but by the capable and professional staff. She said that 59 percent of the voters favored the school referendum and that the people actually felt that the eight-year school plan settled upon by the city was stretching it too far.

She said it is never easy to vote for a tax increase and that if the economy is strong and the money

is not needed, an adjustment can be made later.

Rae LeSesne, of Kempsville, supported the 8.7 cent increase. He said he did not question Heischober's sincere desire to save the taxpayers money by delaying the tax, but questioned the timing.

LeSesne said the past two years of rezoning (for higher density uses) was the time to address tax increases. The citizens voted overwhelmingly to endorse the concept of roads and school construction, he said. If any question was raised, that should have been done during the workshops, he said.

The tax increase will make sure the people will get the roads and schools they voted for, LeSesne said. Any excess money, he said, can be plowed back into more roads and schools.

Lou Face, an unsuccessful candidate in the May Councilman election, opposed all of the tax increase, suggesting instead that the city find the money in its present budget.

He had originally proposed an across the board five percent reduction in the budget to furnish money for roads and schools. He returned Monday afternoon with additional proposals in answer to a question by Councilwoman Nancy Parker about where the money was to be found.

Committee has proposed a "super blocks" demonstration project. The locations suggested are the 20th to 23rd Street area of Atlantic Avenue and along 21st and 22nd Streets to Pacific Avenue. The report notes that 75 percent of the visitors to the Beach are exposed to this area.

Virginia Beach Councilman Robert Fentress said he likes the super blocks idea and that he did not think things could wait any longer.

The improvements on the super blocks would consist of narrowing Atlantic Avenue, widening and upgrading all sidewalks on its east and west sides, street planting, furnishings and graphics and systems to reduce the adverse visual impact of overhead wiring.

The traffic pattern on the numbered streets would become two-way except for 21st and 22nd Streets, and parking would be removed to provide space for sidewalkers and other improvements.

Also, Atlantic Avenue would be restricted from 25th Street to 23rd Street to four lanes and 23rd and 24th Streets would be converted from one-way to two-way streets.

Features of the plan are:

\*The narrowing of Atlantic Avenue to a four-lane, two-way traffic pattern south of 25th Street with left turn lanes at major intersections if feasible. A typical section would have a 20-foot western sidewalk, a 12-foot eastern sidewalk and 48-foot traffic area.

\*The same treatment would apply north of 23rd Street to 40th Street, but the design would accommodate a narrower right-of-way.

\*Atlantic Avenue would be closed in front of the Cavalier Hotel and a 90-degree intersection developed to move traffic onto Pacific Avenue to discourage the use of Atlantic Avenue as a major traffic arterial.

\*Provision of left turn lanes at major intersections and removal of parallel parking on Pacific Avenue. The long range approach is to expand Pacific Avenue to a four-lane landscaped, divided highway for its

full length through the resort area.

\*Revising the traffic pattern for all numbered streets between Atlantic and Pacific Avenues, except for 21st and 22nd Streets, from one-way to two-way traffic pattern. Parking would eventually be removed from all side streets. The removal of the parking spaces would be coordinated with the development of municipal parking facilities.

\*Transforming all sub streets between the Loop and the Cavalier into pedestrian plazas.

\*Upgrading Norfolk Avenue.

\*Installation of an integrated circulation and orientation signage system directing visitors to major destinations such as "north beach," "mid beach," "south beach," and "Croatian," major activities and public parking.

Long range improvements include upgrading the full length of Atlantic Avenue and all side streets to Pacific Avenue, implementing one-way traffic systems on Arctic Avenue and Baltic Avenue between 17th Street and Laskin Road with necessary gutter, curbing and landscaping, developing 30th and 31st Streets as a one-way pair extending Laskin Road to the resort center, widening and upgrading Birdneck Road to General Booth Boulevard, upgrading the Birdneck Road/Route 44 interchange and development of a visitor orientation/reception center in the vicinity of the Pavilion along the Toll Road.

The committee has asked that the city staff proceed with the overall conceptual planning of the super blocks so that bid documents would be ready by July 1, 1987.

The program is expected to take up to ten years to complete.

The capital budget includes an allocation of \$69,650,000 over ten years for resort improvements.

The source of most of the money has not been designated. However, city manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck said that Council had indicated a referendum would be called to fund the projects. He said he would return with specific recommendations on the proposals.

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Smith's achievements in the Firestone-sponsored 4-H Leadership Program won him a State Winner's Certificate and a Firestone-paid trip to the Congress which is being attended by more than 2,000 young and adult 4-H'ers.

Nearly 700,000 young people were enrolled in the Firestone Leadership Program during 1986.

## Opportunities available to assist disabilities programs

The Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities Programs of Virginia Beach need volunteers in:

- The Developmental Preschool Program to assist from 9:30 a.m. to noon, Tuesdays and Thursdays, in a classroom setting with developmentally disabled preschoolers. Dedicated adults wanted.

- The Infant Stimulation Program to work with severely handicapped infants ages birth to two years, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. on Thursday mornings. Volunteers need to make a commitment until June 1.

- The Adult Respite Co-op Program every Thursday morning from 9 a.m. to noon. Training is provided by staff personnel to work with adults with severe handicaps.

- Answering phones on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Pembroke 6 office suite.

The Prevention Program to assist in training young children in daycare centers about seat belts and showing young mothers how to install car seats for infants in their cars.

The Respite Center, a daycare center for handicapped children, on Monday through Friday from 3 to 6 p.m. to assist with planned program activities. Teenagers are welcome!

For more information contact Beki Burn at 499-7619.

### Gardner serves as sophomore treasurer

Kevin Scott Gardner, a Kems-ville High School graduate, is serving as treasurer of the Sophomore Class at Chowan College.

Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Earl Gardner, 5713 Avalon Woods Drive, is studying printing technology at Chowan College. He is a member of Kems-ville Presbyterian Church.

### Kowalchick elected

#### Longwood Frat Pres.

Grant T. Kowalchick, a Longwood College junior from Virginia Beach, has been elected president of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity.

Kowalchick, an earth science major, will serve from now until December 1987. Delta Sigma Phi, a social fraternity, has 50 members.

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## Winter water damage

By R. Talmage Piland, III,  
Virginia Beach Department of  
Public Utilities

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to have your lovely Virginia Beach home flooded, or to see water flowing from a light fixture? Last winter, many residences were damaged by water from burst or ruptured pipes.

The Virginia Beach Department of Public Utilities offers you the following maintenance tips designed to help you winterize your home.

**Insulate Pipes** - Water pipes, particularly those installed next to an outside wall, are often subjected to subfreezing temperatures. An example of this may be a washing machine located in the garage. Any exposed pipes should be wrapped or insulated. There are various types of heating and insulating devices

you can purchase to help prevent pipe freeze ups. Items around the house such as old rags, socks, or newspapers may also be used to insulate the pipes.

Don't forget the outside faucets! Be sure to wrap the faucets and place a container or plastic bag over them to prevent the wrapping from being exposed to dampness.

**Cabinet Areas** - Frozen pipes may be found in areas such as the kitchen or bathroom sinks where the pipes are located under a cabinet. Even if you have wrapped the lines, in subfreezing temperatures, you may wish to leave the cabinet door open to allow room heat to reach the pipes.

**Dripping the Faucets** - During periods of extremely cold weather, it may be helpful to let your faucets drip slowly. Granted, being conservation minded, you may have second thoughts on

running the water, but this is much cheaper than experiencing a flood-drenched home.

**Covering Air Vents** - If your home is built on a crawl space, be sure to close or cover the air vents located in the foundation wall. This will help prevent the pipes in the crawl space from being exposed to freezing air.

**Thawing Pipes** - Even the most cautious homeowner may sooner or later experience a frozen pipe. If this happens to you, don't panic. A freeze up at an exposed pipe or under a sink generally can be eliminated by applying heat with a hair dryer, heat lamp, or even a light bulb. Some homeowners have been known to use a flame or gas torch when thawing pipes. Although this may seem to be a resonable approach, it is also one of the most dangerous. Attempting to thaw a line too rapidly with extreme heat could result in an explosion and injure you.

**Private Cut-off Valve** - Does your house have a private water cut-off valve in or near the house? If so, know where it is located and how to shut it off in case of an emergency.

**Locate Your Water Meter** - Have you taken the time to locate and observe your water meter? Most residential water meters are located in front of the house near the curb.

Let's assume that one of your water pipes breaks between the

water meter and your private cut-off valve, or that a leak occurs and you do not have a private cut-off valve. In either case, you need to turn off the water supply at the water meter. This can be done by telephoning the Public Utilities Department at 427-4631 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, or 427-4761 after working hours and on weekends and holidays. A representative will be dispatched to turn the meter off for you.

On occasion, during severe inclement weather, the Water Department has been unable to immediately respond to emergency turn-off requests. When this occurs, the homeowner is advised on how to turn off the meter. Should the occasion arise where you have to turn off the meter, a pair of pliers or an adjustable wrench is generally all that is necessary. Turning the curbstop located on the street side of your meter will shut off your water.

**Note:** Whenever customers turn off the meter for emergency repairs, it is requested that they telephone the Public Utilities Department upon doing so.

## Winter registration

Winter quarter registration at Tidewater Community College, Virginia Beach Campus, will continue through Dec. 23 and again on Jan. 2 and 3.

Tuition is \$17 per credit.

## Small business seminar set

Continued from page 3

needed and where to find it. In addition, comparisons will be made between short-term, long-term, and permanent financing options.

Session Four will focus on "Marketing Strategies for Small Businesses" (Jan. 30 or March 7). Participants will learn how to penetrate the market, how to "find" customers, promotional

methods, and pricing strategies.

The registration fee for Non-Chamber members is \$55 for four sessions or \$15 for each individual session. For Chamber members, the fee is \$33 for the entire series or \$10 for each session. For more information or to register for the seminar, call the Office of Continuing Education, Tidewater Community College at 427-7195.

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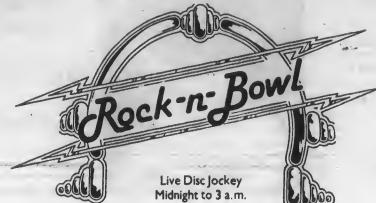
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perative that while we give generously, we also give wisely. The Virginia Solicitation of Contributions Law requires all charities to file with the State Office of Consumer Affairs prior to soliciting. If the charity is not in compliance with the law, we recommend that you not contribute. Information on legitimate charities is available, by calling the Office of Consumer Affairs toll-free number, 1-800-552-9963, or in Richmond, 786-1343, to assist consumers with this decision-making.

In addition, consumers should ask the solicitor for specific information—and pay close attention to the answers. One of the most important questions to ask before making a donation is "Where does the money go?" Find out how much is spent on fund-raising and administration and how much goes to the actual program you want to support.

Request written information when solicited by phone. Refuse to commit yourself over the phone. The majority of these solicitations are done by

professionals. In many cases, the charity receives only 10 to 20% of the money contributed; the remaining amount goes to the professional solicitor. Ask the caller to tell you what the charity is and what percentage of your total donation is going to the charity—and then decide as to whether or not you want to contribute.

Many times, an illegitimate charity will have an impressive name or one that closely resembles the name of a well-established organization. Listen closely and double check to be sure that the charity and its cause is the one you want to help.

Don't be fooled by a "soob" story, pressured into an immediate donation, or charmed by an attractive solicitor. Remember that not all solicitors represent charitable organizations—so give wisely.

Call the State Office of Consumer Affairs if you have any suspicions about the legitimacy of a charity. When you call, ask for a copy of "The Ten Rules of Giving."

**Turf Trade Show scheduled**

The 27th annual Virginia Turf Conference and Trade Show is scheduled for Wednesday through Friday, Jan. 12 to 23, at the Pavilion Convention center.

Fifty-two speakers and 70 exhibitors will be featured.

Robert E. Menzer, former chairman of the Environmental Protection Agency's science advisory panel, will be the keynote speaker, talking on "Pesticide Paranoia—How Real Is the Risk?"

Other speakers will include Kathy Copley, editor of Grounds Maintenance magazine; Pat O'Brien, regional agronomist for

the U.S. Golf Association; Charles L. Benthke, director of research and development at the Michigan Peat Co., and Clinton Hodges, professor of plant pathology at Iowa State University. Speaker at the annual banquet will be humorist Jeanie Roberts, a former Miss North Carolina.

Additional information concerning the program or registration can be obtained from John R. Hall, III, Extension agronomist, department of agronomy, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Va. 24061 or by calling (703) 961-5797.



**Holiday turkey**

George William of the Virginia Beach Christian Church brought in five turkeys for the "Holiday Project." Photo by Stephanie Beyer.

## City marina temporarily closes Dec. 31

The city of Virginia Beach has announced the temporary closing of the Lynnhaven Municipal Marina, located at 3211 Lynnhaven Drive, to be effective Dec. 31.

This temporary closing of the

20-year-old City facility is being done to provide for major renovation and repair work.

"As a rule, this type of facility has an estimated life expectancy of 18 to 20 years, so this renovation is needed to provide upgraded service to the citizens of Virginia Beach," said Parks and Recreation Department Director Harold Whitehurst.

For more information on this temporary closing, contact John Coates at 471-2027.

## William Cox lectures ODU engineering seniors

William A. (Bill) Cox, Jr., P.E., of Virginia Beach, recently lectured to a senior civil engineering technology class at Old Dominion University's School of Engineering. He spoke

on alternate dispute resolution (ADR) in the construction process.

Cox is immediate past president of the National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE) and a past president of the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE).

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## Virginia Beach Public Notices

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be heard in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, January 5, 1987, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

### CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT: LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of Green Hill by The Bay Condominium Association for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a pier on certain property located at the Northern extremity of Lovett's Pond Lane. Said parcel contains 8712 square feet more or less. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of Hop-In Food Stores, Inc. for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for gasoline sales in conjunction with a convenience store at the Northeast corner of Indian Lakes Boulevard and Pleasant Valley Road. Said parcel is located at 1196 Indian Lakes Boulevard and contains 25,831 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

### CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION: KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Fraternal Order of Police (F.O.P. Lodge No. 28) for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from R-6 Residential District to 0-1 Office District on the South side of Bonney Road, 210 feet more or less East of South Fir Avenue. Said parcel is located at 4301 Bonney Road and contains 1.62 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

CHANGES OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION: KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

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All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC  
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301-9-2T 12-24 VB

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 24th day of November, 1986.

Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

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Bayside Motors  
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### STREET CLOSURE: LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

1. Application of Marc-Lynn Associates for the discontinuance and abandonment of a portion of an unnamed 40 foot right-of-way as shown on the plat entitled "Portion of 40' Unnamed Street as Shown on Plat Entitled Property of Thomas Lamb Located Near Seatack, M.B. 20, p.32, Lynnhaven Borough, Virginia Beach, VA."

Parcel is located 125.66 feet East of South Birdneck Road, 300 feet South Birdneck Road, 300 feet South of Hughes Avenue and contains 12,000 square feet more or less. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC  
City Clerk  
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 727 20TH STREET, APARTMENT 7 PARK PLACE BEACH VILLAS, A CONDOMINIUM VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA

In execution of a Deed of Trust dated March 10, 1982, from E.W. Owen and Patricia S. Owen and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, in Deed Book 2194, at Page 488, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder the following described property:

ALL THAT certain condominium unit known and numbered as Unit 15, Building B, in that certain condominium, located in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, together with an undivided 1/64th interest in the common elements, all as more particularly described, designated and shown on that certain Condominium Declaration dated January 14, 1982, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, in Deed Book 2192, at Page 2114, and the exhibits thereto reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said unit, including assigned Parking Space No. 2.

Reference is hereby made to the aforesaid described deed of trust for a more particular description of said property. Said property to be sold December 24, 1986, at 10:00 a.m. on the front steps of Circuit Court Number 1 of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Terms: Cash

Bidder's deposit of \$1,000.00, balance within 10 days from sale.

For information contact:

Frank E. Butler, III, Trustee

Frank E. Butler, Jr., Attorney

for Trustee, 1092 Laskin Road,

Suite 110, Telephone (804) 422-3900.

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## Nolan elected volunteer council president

James A. Nolan has been elected president for the 1986-87 term of the Volunteer Council of the Virginia Beach Maritime Historical Museum. He assumes the office from Ann Dearman, who served from 1984 to 1986 as president. Dearman now assumes the position of education chairman of the Volunteer Auxiliary.

Nolan is a sociology professor and Director of Social Sciences Research Center at Norfolk State University.

Other 1986/87 Volunteer Council officers are: Hoffman, vice president and Anne J. Henry, secretary.

Volunteer Council members are Carolyn Gorry, Betty

Lavrischell, Sue Schneidewind and Capt. Richard Kaufman.

Nolan's responsibilities include overseeing the Volunteer Auxiliary in the areas of membership outreach, hospitality, fund raising and decent training, according to Martha S. Price, director, community relations, Virginia Beach Maritime Historical Museum, Inc.

## Man sought for Cape Henry robbery

On Nov. 10, shortly before midnight, the Domino's Pizza Restaurant at 3035 Shore Drive, in the Cape Henry Shopping Center, was robbed.

Virginia Beach Crime Solvers will pay a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for information that leads to the arrest of the man responsible for this crime.

On that Monday night a man came into the restaurant and placed a take-out order. While employees were preparing his order, he pulled a long barrel pistol from his waist band and demanded money. He also gave the employee a white laundry bag to put the money in. After getting the money, he ran out the front

door and was last seen leaving in a late model, mid-size, red car.

The robber is described as Mexican or Spanish, in his 30's, approximately 5'6" tall, heavy build, with straight dark brown hair, a mustache, and a slight beard. At the time of the robbery he was wearing black frame aviator style glasses, a brown sweat shirt, blue pants, and blue tennis shoes.

Anyone with information about this armed robbery or any other crime committed in Virginia Beach can be eligible for a cash reward by calling Virginia Beach Crime Solvers at 427-0000. When calling, you do not have to give your name.

James L. Sisson  
Joins insurance agency

James L. Sisson, III, recently joined the sales staff of Brown-Arris-Langhorne, Inc., the Virginia Beach-based insurance agency.

Sisson has five years of commercial insurance experience in the Tidewater area and is currently serving his second term as chairman of the Young Agents Committee for the Independent Insurance Agents of Virginia. It

was under his leadership that the Y.A.C. won the Outstanding Committee of the Year Award for 1985-86.

Sisson is also a member of the Tidewater Builders Association, the Tidewater Utility and Heavy Contractors Association, and the Independent Insurance Agents of Tidewater, Inc. In addition to having attended Randolph-Macon College in Ashland, Virginia, Sisson received certification in 1982 from the Actua Life and Casualty Home Office Sales School.



Sisson

Virginia Beach Cancer Unit  
raises \$294,744; wins award

The Virginia Beach Unit of the American Cancer Society has received the 1986 President's Cup for raising \$294,744. The statewide award for fund raising excellence is made to local units that exceed their goal by 12 percent or more.

The award presentation was made recently in Norfolk at the 1987 Crusade Kickoff of the American Cancer Society's Virginia Division. The statewide voluntary organization supports research, education, and services to cancer patients and their families. Volunteers raised over \$5.3 million in 1986. The goal for 1987 is \$5.8 million.



Smith

21 Beach students recommended  
by Whitehurst for military academies

Congressman G. William Whitehurst has submitted the names of 21 young Virginia Beach men and women as his nominees to the Naval Academy, the Military Academy at West Point and the Air Force Academy.

The following high school student will be considered for appointment to the academies for classes beginning next summer:

**U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY:**  
Douglas W. Carpenter, Princess Anne; John A. (Drew) Downs, Bayside; Joseph Poellnitz, Green Run; Michael A. Conner, First Colonial; John C. Dustin, Franklin W. Cox; Charles M. Stuart, Green Run.

The church is located at 5580 Shell Road. Call 464-0772.

Southeastern Virginia Food Bank  
collecting food at Beach locations

The Southeastern Virginia Foodbank is collecting food at the following Virginia Beach locations:

- Don Hauck Associates, (Dec. 17-18), 497-9200.
- Virginia Beach Jaycees, (Dec. 17-21), 495-2549.
- Commerce Bank, (Dec. 17-24), 456-1068.
- Jiffy Lube, (Dec. 17-24), 499-1808.
- Virginia Beach Courts CDI Program, (Dec. 17-24), 547-2810.
- Orthodontist Canned Food Drive, (Dec. 17-31), 420-4035.

Chamber now accepting nominations  
for regional Small Business of the Year

The Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for the regional Small Business of the Year. One winner will be chosen from each of the five southside Hampton Roads cities.

Nominations will close on Feb. 1, 1987.

Call JoAnn Cawood, 622-2312, for more information.

## McLaughlin pins opponent for William and Mary

Ed McLaughlin of Virginia Beach is wrestling this year for the College of William and Mary's varsity wrestling team.

In a recent match, McLaughlin pinned his opponent from Longwood, assisting the team in their 34-9 victory.

## Wall Street

George Stagg reviews the previous week--Page 2

## Happy Holidays!

## Mapping

Virginia Beach map wins achievement award

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Public servants work holidays

### "Christmas is the worst"

By James D. Barr  
Staff Writer

While most of us enjoy the traditional Christmas festivities, there are men and women who are on duty. The city's police officers, firefighters and emergency rescue squads are just a few of the people who are working when others are relaxing.

With firefighters, being on call for 24 hours and then off 48 hours means that this year 'B' shift pulls duty on Christmas Eve Day and aren't able to go home until 8 a.m. Christmas day.

The police force works on different shift patterns. But Lt. Randy White, shift commander at the 1st precinct, thinks that the varying eight-hour shifts can be harder to deal with.

"You have to reschedule everything depending on what shift you have," he said. "It is frustrating to work if you have plans like family dinner, opening the gifts and visiting relatives."

White, 43, from Cape Story, said it was especially hard when

his kids were growing up. "Every holiday is hard, but Christmas is the worst," said White. "When you have younger kids, the family has to work around your schedule."

White, who has been on the Virginia Beach police force for

his 14th year, said he would rather be coming off a night shift and wait for the kids to wake up, rest during the day, and spend the evening with everyone at dinner.

"It's not impossible to enjoy Christmas," he said, "but it is hard."

Master Police Officer Steve Clayton, who has been on the force for 14 years and is now at the 3rd precinct, said that working Christmas day is hard psychologically.

While being a policeman exposes you to the seeder side of life on a day to day basis, Christmas can be more difficult.

"Domestic calls increase," he said. "People are together more and though they may hope that Christmas will make it different, if they have problems, it can break out."

Clayton, 41, from King's Grant, attributes this to the holidays being an emotional time.

"You learn to deal with it," said Clayton. "In order to sur-

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21 years, pointed out that those on the day shift probably have it the worst.

"You have to be in at work by 8 a.m. so you have to get the kids up early to open the gifts," he said. "Then you say goodbye and don't see them until that evening."

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The Local Award in Design went to the Lynnhaven Colony Garden Club for its Christmas

tree decorated in the Victorian manner. It also received the Tri-Color award in design for its small table arrangement. The club had to decorate a room with a Christmas tree, three tables and a mantel with separate awards for each.

Princess Anne Plaza Garden Club received a "Local Award" for its topiary in the Victorian Garden class.

In the Colossal Christmas Balls class, the Princess Anne Plaza Garden Club received the Federation Award for the

"Miscellaneous Class." This was an 18-inch illuminated paper-mache Christmas ball that was hung in the rotunda at the Gardens.

Mrs. Malcolm H. Todd, Jr. served as chairman of the show. She received a Federation Award for her Christmas ball in the class, "Bird Fantasy." She also received an Award of Distinction for Dried Wall Plaques for her "Ringing in the New Year" arrangement. Todd is a resident of Chesapeake Colony.

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Toll road's four new lanes delayed until April 1987

By Dennis Gribok,  
Virginia Department of  
Highways and Transportation

Completion of new toll lanes at the Route 44 Toll Plaza will be deferred from January to April to permit safety modifications at the plaza on a schedule that will be less restrictive to traffic and less expensive.

Four new lanes are being constructed at the plaza on the Virginia Beach-Norfolk Expressway and the islands for the 10 existing lanes are being modified for safety purposes, said C. A. Nash, Jr., District Engineer of the Virginia Department of Highways and Transportation.

The Department has elected to extend the modification phase over a longer period to avoid an additional \$80,000 in construction costs for an expedited schedule and to not have interference with traffic through at least ten toll lanes, Nash said.

High Occupancy Vehicle lanes, now in operation from I-64 to the Toll Plaza, were scheduled to be extended through the plaza and to Laskin Road by January.

Actually, construction has been completed on two additional plaza lanes, Nash said, but one of the existing lanes will have to be closed to permit extension of a tunnel under the plaza as part of the enlargement program for the facility.

"When the aspect is completed, the existing lane islands will be modified and we don't want to reduce the number of available lanes for traffic to do it," Nash said. "On the other hand, we didn't feel we could justify the expenditure of an additional \$80,000 to expedite

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### Beach Garden Club wins awards at Botanical Gardens

The Federated Clubs of the Federation of Garden Clubs of Norfolk and Vicinity recently sponsored "Christmas Rooms and Winter Gardens" at the Norfolk Botanical Gardens.



Holiday headaches on the Boulevard

Construction headaches are shown by construction on Virginia Beach Boulevard near Princess Anne High School. City Highway Administrator Walter Beaman said this section should be completed sometime this summer. The city is helping coordinate the construction with the Virginia Department of Highway and Transportation.

A Christmas story

### Giving the gift of life at Christmas on a wartime Pacific atoll

By B.J. Sessions

For many years that I have served on the staff of this newspaper, I have from time to time attempted to share with its readers some of the true incidents that have occurred in my life which I felt might be of some interest and with the hope that some might identify with the nostalgia that I feel, especially at Christmas time.

Last year I wrote about my impoverished childhood and of the lonely Christmases of the past in a small rural town in south Georgia at the close of the great depression.

As Christmas approaches this year, I am reminded of an incident that occurred during the second World War in 1944 on the battle-scarred island of Peleliu in the southwest Pacific Islands.

At the time I was attached to the first Marine airwing, Marine Air Group 11, which incidentally was the same air group that Gregory (Pappy) Boyington made famous with the exploits of his Black Sheep Squadron, now being aired on television.

It goes without saying that a desolate coral island thousands of miles from home, and with the enemy lurking all around, is not an ideal condition for a Christmas celebration; but somehow Americans have a unique way of making the most of any given situation and this was no exception.

We tried our best to think about our families back home gathered around the Christmas tree singing carols, exchanging gifts and then sitting down to a fine dinner of turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce and all the trimmings.

I especially thought about snow; since the temperature on Peleliu sometimes reached 105 degrees.

The make-shift radio station on the island played Christmas music

throughout the day and "I'll Be Home for Christmas" was our favorite.

When this song was played, it would send many tough battle-hardened marines to the latrine, which was the only place on the island where one could find solitude and perhaps cry a little.

There is a myth that Marines don't cry, but don't you believe it. I can assure you that they do.

Since there were no pine or cedar trees on that God-forsaken island, we used any shrubs we could find that had escaped the heavy shelling and air bombardment and decorated them with anything we could find.

I remember in one tent the make-believe tree was decorated with gold teeth that had been removed from the mouth of dead Japanese bodies that littered the island.

Of course, that particular tent was the exception and we considered its occupants a little weird.

The tree in our tent was decorated with pictures and mementos of our loved ones back home.

That day I spent most of the time in the sack since I was scheduled for guard duty Christmas Eve. My tour of duty was to run from midnight to 4 a.m. Christmas morning.

My post was on the perimeter of the air strip approximately two miles from civilization situated directly underneath Bloody Nose Ridge which was pock-marked with caves used as refuge by the Japanese during our invasion of the island.

It was well-known that those caves still held Japanese stragglers who had survived the bloody battle for Peleliu. Several of the caves had been sealed off by demolition teams using explosives which killed many of the occupants and those that were not killed during the initial operation finally suffocated or starved to death.

Since there were so many caves on the ridge, some were left open, and from time-to-time a Japanese soldier would slip down from the

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B.J. Sessions in his earlier days

## Editorials

## Holiday shifts

No one likes to see the flashing lights of a police car in their rearview mirror. Ambulance and fire engine sirens remind us that a sudden accident or illness can drastically affect our health and all that we own may be destroyed in a house fire.

Our own efforts help little in the face of illness, accident or fire. Life is fragile.

It helps to know that there are men and women who are specifically trained to deal with these kind of emergencies every day—even on the holidays.

While most of the general population expects to be off work during these special times, our civil servants who make up the police force, fire fighting units and other emergency services, are still on duty while everyone else is enjoying the holiday festivities.

*So, as you sit down to enjoy your pumpkin pie, the crackling fire of the fireplace, the laughter and joy of family gathered together, the decorated Christmas tree and the giving and receiving of gifts, remember that there are many people foregoing those things to keep our community safe, to answer when we call.*

Take a moment and think about it. Sure, you may say, "They're getting paid to do it." But who can put a dollar figure on being with your family Christmas morning.

Some people may not mind working during the holidays. But few are willing to spend it responding to emergencies, rushing to an accident scene, or dealing with loss of life or property. These things are difficult to deal with even on the normal day.

Having to miss the special time with family is one thing. Spending your holiday dealings with the unhappy things of life is a sacrifice.

The effects of this type of job go beyond the men and women—they affect their families as well. The demands often break those who cannot cope with the pressure. Yet men and women continue to come forward to take on the challenge of serving the community. They are willing to make the sacrifice.

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## Please (cough) let me breath

Is Surgeon General of the United States C. Everett Koop on a personal crusade? Or is he concerned with the health of our nation?

After his recent report on the health danger of cigarette smoke on smokers and non-smokers alike, it seems as though the scientific evidence is confirming Koop's stance on the ill effects of tobacco smoke.

His opponents, primarily the tobacco industry and those connected with it, claim that Koop is blinded by his personal views and that the scientific evidence isn't strong enough to back him up.

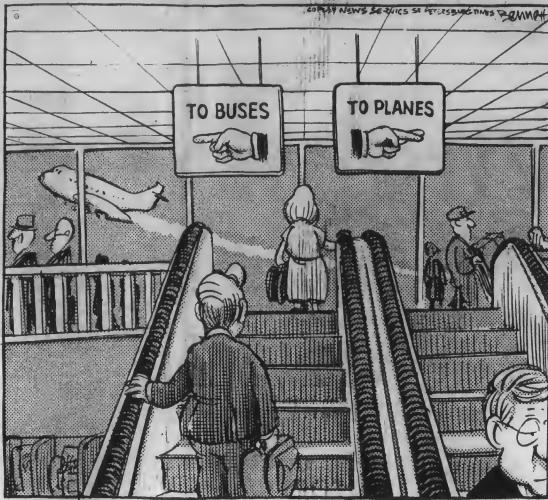
But the evidence is strong.

He cited 11 studies that appeared in scientific literature that linked smoke from cigarettes to lung cancer. Not only for the smoker but also for the non-smoker! Not only that, it is not the inhaled and exhaled smoke that is the most dangerous to non-smokers. It is the "sidestream" smoke that a burning cigarette emits in between puffs that is so damaging.

Just as all smokers are allowed to say anything they want except that which endangers others (like yelling 'Fire!' in a crowded theater when it is not true) so they are allowed to smoke anytime they want—as long as it does not hurt the people around them.

It is understood that smoking is a hard habit to kick. Addiction to the nicotine is a strong one. But smokers must be sensitive to the non-smoker. Public places and working environments must be shared. If smokers can guarantee that your smoke will not circulate into the non-smoking area, they may light up to their heart's content. If you can't guarantee it, please don't endanger the health of others.

Don't let your freedom defile clean lungs.—J.D.B.



## Commentary

## Don't throw wrapping paper into fireplace



### Fire Safety

By Martin Grube  
Master Fire Fighter

I would like to wish all of my readers a Merry Christmas. I also would like for you to have a safe Christmas.

Please do not throw the wrapping paper into the fireplace for this will create a very hot fire

which could set off a chimney fire.

Christmas trees that were purchased several weeks ago are now vulnerable to catching fire because they are very dry and withered. Move the tree away from the fireplace completely. All it takes is one spark to catch the tree on fire.

Limit the stings to only when you are staying in the room. Cut them off if you leave even for a short while.

Your Virginia Beach

firefighters will be on duty Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. These city paid firefighters never have holidays. Someone has to be on duty seven days a week. Seventy-five firefighters will be getting off duty Christmas morning and another 75 firefighters will come in fresh to pull their 24-hour tour.

Think about them or just drop by, they will be glad to see you. Think fire safety this Christmas so the firefighters won't be visiting you!

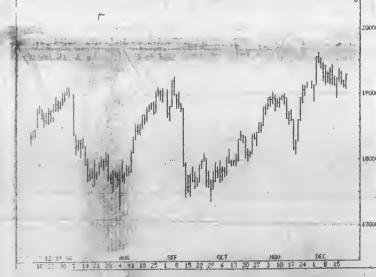
## Christmas rally? Maybe Rudolph nose...

### Wall Street

#### The Week Ahead



By George T. Stagg



It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas in the canyons of Wall Street. We survived the triple witching hour last Friday with record-breaking volume, 244 million shares, 100 million in the final 30 minutes, and the DOW up 16 points for the day.

We have established firm support at the 1900 level and with seven trading sessions to go before the old year poops out, we still have hopes that Santa and his elves will come thru with some year end goodies.

According to the Stock Trader's Almanac, St. Nick comes to Wall Street nearly every

year and brings a short, sweet respectable rally. In the past 34 years, Santa has failed to appear only seven times.

The rally occurs in the last four or five days and carries into the first two days of the new year with an average gain of 1.68 percent, equivalent to about 30 points in the DOW at these levels. So be good for goodness sake.

In sum, we have a resilient market, buoyed by oceans of liquidity and cash looking for higher yields; a market encountering strong support at current levels, having held above 1900 for four weeks.

It's the stuff of high drama. Our 2000 DOW paradise has been lost in three attempts in six months to reach the promised land.

We are confident about another go in the future. Remember, this is Wall Street where there is always a happy ending.

You have heard of Paradise lost and Paradise found. Welcome to Paradise maybe.

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## Happy holidays from the staff of The Virginia Beach Sun

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## LET'S TALK



By Rob Jones, president,  
Virginia Beach Education Association

## The spirit of giving

The spirits of the holidays are apparent everywhere. We enjoy the bright lights, happy music, and colorful decorations. Age-old songs and stories are called to mind and presented to youngsters to listen, share, make their own.

For teachers, the days bring hustle, bustle, and activities galore. We also call to mind special thoughts and wonders about the new year and what it will bring out.

Everyone is familiar with Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*. Old Ebenezer Scrooge was confronted with his past, present, and future.

Teachers remember the past. They remember how many hours were spent convincing legislators and policy-makers that teachers need greater involvement, higher salaries, and more respect.

It took *"A Nation At Risk,"* many volumes on school reform and state mandates on funding to produce a change. The change, necessary, positive, productive, may not be continued. Just because teachers received some increased benefits in 1986 does not mean that the Ebenezer Scrooges of 1986 see the need to follow the enlightened path.

Despite the Carnegie Commission Report, the Governor's Commission on Excellence and public mandates, policy-makers refuse to support with adequate funding the concept of quality education. Quality education is the gateway for future successes.

Teachers deserve respect, equity in salary, status, and involvement. The Ebenezer Scrooges are usually short-term thinkers and don't believe the predictions handed down.

The educational predictions are well-documented: teacher shortages, overcrowded schools, lower achievement scores, and most alarmingly - children who have never been taught how to process language, compute numbers, and think logically and with reason to solve the many problems faced by our society.

Qualified, dedicated teachers pass on much more than facts, they bestow a love for learning, an understanding of the past, a compassion for involvement in the democratic process and dedication to protecting and enriching the future for all.

Quality education doesn't come cheap.

Commitment, philosophically and financially by elected representatives, determines the course. Educators, parents, and students need to let those officials know what direction the course should take.

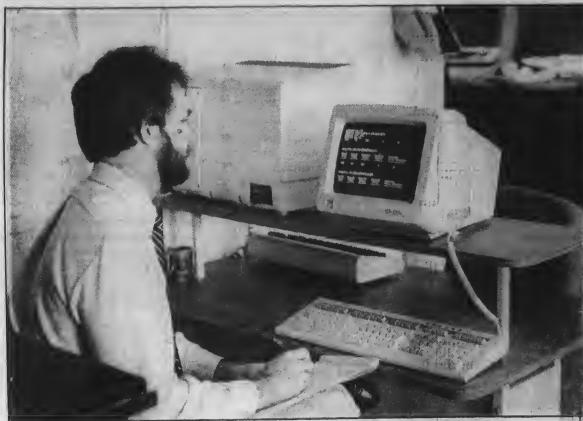
Ebenezer Scrooge decided to make the present count and brighten the future for the children he knew. His lesson should not go unnoticed this holiday.

The VBEA wishes all of the community happiness and joy this holiday and in the year ahead.

Todd Underwood takes part in "Bike-a-thon"

Todd Underwood of Virginia Beach recently participated in the fourth annual "Pike Bike Hike," a bike-a-thon fundraiser for the Mississippi Memorial Burn Center in Greenville, Miss.

Underwood and other fraternity members helped raise over \$5,000.



Paul Calhoun, mapping technician III, makes sure "all systems are go" on Virginia Beach's computerized mapping program. "Basically, we can do anything on this system that we can do with a drafting pencil," he said.

## Virginia Beach mapping program receives national achievement award

By Julia Thornton Wilson,  
Virginia Beach Office of  
Public Information

A specialized computer system is putting Virginia Beach at the forefront of mapping out its municipal future.

The system, which recently received national recognition from Public Technology, Inc., has enabled the City's Bureau of Surveys and Mapping to compile computer generated maps that reveal units as small as individual property parcels and keep them constantly updated and revised—no small feat in a community growing by around 1,000 new residents per month.

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Resulting from the City's computerized system, this map shows units as small as individual parcels of property. In addition to identifying real estate for taxation purposes, these maps have a variety of other uses, such as specifying routes for refuse collection and assisting in public utilities planning.



Computerized details show up on the monitor as Engineering Aide Barbara Rice modifies Virginia Beach's mapping data base.

The City first addressed the need to computerize its mapping program in 1975, after several years of being unable to keep up with the growth explosion by manual mapping means.

After purchasing a computer software package and putting it to work, the mapping staff was able to produce state-of-the-art computerized maps which combined graphic details with specific information files.

The system immediately began to pay for itself by identifying many parcels of land which had been untaxed or incorrectly taxed in the past.

The system was then upgraded in 1984 to provide even more integrated mapping functions and allow for cross-tabulated retrieval of specialized information to meet the needs of City departments, officials and planners.

In addition to the obvious real estate assessment applications, the highly

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Virginia Beach firefighters (from front to back) Rick Land, Larry McAndrews and Gary Cole run through drills to keep prepared for emergency calls.

## Holiday duty is never easy for those on emergency call

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vive you develop a thick skin. You become hardened so it doesn't affect you."

### Firefighting

During holidays, fire fighters deal with different problems. At Firehouse #16 on Eight Plaza Trail, the men on 'B' shift point out that they will have duty on Christmas Day the next two years.

"Surprisingly, there are less calls during the holidays," said Rick Land, 'B' shift captain at firehouse #16.

"There are more chimney fires because people throw all the Christmas wrappings in the fire," he said, "but with fire you never know."

Tony Cooke, 36, who has been a fire fighter for 11 years, said the last few Christmases in Virginia Beach have been warm, which has meant fewer fire hazards.

"Being at the fire house on holidays means planning a little

differently," said Cooke. "Up until a few years ago we had a trade policy. Guys with no family could cover for someone who did. But we can't do that anymore."

City employees are paid overtime for their holiday shifts but Land said, "I don't think the money outweighs the chance to be at home with your family."

Some might like the money so they can pay off the bills, said Clayton. "When you are on duty you wish you were home and when you are at home you wonder if the extra pay might help," he said.

**Emergency**

Also "on call" during the holidays is the emergency medical service teams. They work on a volunteer basis.

Robert Matthews, 21, of Lake Edwards, works at the Dove Corner station and has voluntarily covered during Christmas Day for the last four years.

"Because I am single," said

Matthews, "I like to work on the holidays so the guys with families can be off."

"We are able to be on call from our homes," said Syd DuVal, 40, who works out of the Virginia Beach Volunteer Rescue Squad. While the firemen have to stay at the firehouse with the equipment, the rescue squads can cover from home.

"Someone will drive the ambulance to their house and be on call from there," said DuVal. "We can be with our families but we might have to leave at any time."

Both Matthews and DuVal said there are usually fewer emergency calls on Christmas Day. "People stay at home," said Matthews. "That means fewer accidents."

DuVal said throughout the year his station answers 10-15 calls each day. In his 10 years of experience he cannot remember ever going out more than four times on Christmas Day.

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## DAR meeting announced

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Virginia DAR State Conference, to be held in Roanoke in March and the DAR Continental Congress held in Washington, D.C. in April, will be elected at this meeting.

# Christmas Eve 1944 - in the midst of war

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hills and join the chow line along with the marines.

It may be difficult to understand how this could happen, but under combat conditions the code of dress was not strictly enforced. Cut-off trousers, sandals made from field shoes, long hair and beards made us all look pretty much the same. Our bodies were tanned from working in the blazing sun, so it is understandable that a Japanese soldier could sometimes go unnoticed, especially in a crowd, as long as he did not talk.

We used code words which contained the letter "R" which was hard for the Japanese to pronounce. If we suspected one among us to be Japanese, he had better be able to say "rice" because they had a tendency to say "ice." I heard that several were caught that way, but I have no facts to substantiate it.

As the time for my tour of duty approached, the fog had closed to convey an eerie picture of Bloody Nose Ridge which caused me some consternation. I reported to the guard shack at 11:45 and boarded the jeep that was to take me to my lonely outpost.

As the jeep pulled away I thought to myself, "What would I do if the Japanese pull a Banzai attack and overran my position?" I knew that I would fight because I was trained to do so, but I would have hoped that the odds were a little more on my side.

The tour was uneventful until around 1 a.m. when I heard the distant patter of feet coming in my direction. I knew it wasn't Santa Claus.

I stepped behind a large crate that contained a Corsair fighter plane engine and waited for my strange visitor to come within the sight of my M-1 rifle.

If it was a Japanese I planned to let him pass by and then shoot, but there was always the possibility that it was one of our own marines out jogging, which many did, especially the ones that were into physical fitness. However, it did not make sense that anyone in his right mind would be out jogging at 1 a.m. Christmas Day, especially so far from the base camp.

As my visitor passed by my place of concealment, I stepped out and in my most authoritative voice shouted, "Halt and be recognized."

The strange stopped momentarily and then started to move away in a slow jog. I fired two shots into the air, planning to send the next one straight through him. I was still not sure if he was friend or foe. But if he did not stop, I knew I was justified in shooting him.

I did not relish the thought of having to kill another human being, especially on Christmas day. Fortunately for both of us he stopped and turned back toward me. I didn't know if he was armed with a knife or a hand grenade. I did not see anything in his hands and I knew I could shoot before he could reach for a weapon.

I ordered him to lie down on the ground while I approached ready to shoot at any suspicious move. During this time he had not uttered a word which made me suspect that he was in fact the enemy down from the hills foraging for food.

I prayed that the shot I had fired would be heard at post headquarters, but had no way of knowing for sure. The telephone in the guard shack was not working so the only hope I had was that the Sergeant of the Guard would be making his periodic rounds soon.

I attempted to question him and to my amazement he spoke perfect English. He had been employed at Pearl Harbor on a construction gang and had returned to Japan just prior to the attack.

On his return to Japan he had joined the army and Peleliu was his first and last duty station. I searched him while he was still on the ground and then ordered him to stand up for a closer search.

Finding no weapons I relaxed somewhat and continued my questioning. I asked the fellow what he was doing running around an American held island on Christmas day.

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He explained that he was starving and had hoped that he could find some scraps in the garbage cans around the mess hall. He said that many of the Japanese in the caves had died from thirst, starvation or disease, but that surrender was an even worse fate because of the shame involved as all Japanese soldiers lived by the Bushido which is a moral code of feudal Japan.

I asked how many marines he had killed. He assured me that he had killed none explaining that he was a corpsman attending the wounded and claimed to have even attended some wounded Americans during the midst of the invasion of the island.

I knew he might be lying but I could not prove it. He seemed to be a decent fellow and talked about his family back in Japan. He looked to be around 30 years old but I never thought to ask him his age.

I formed in my mind the impression that this soldier was here because his country was in a war over which he had no control, the same as I, and that while we were mortal enemies, sworn to kill each other, we did have something in common.

We were far away from home on a small battle scarred island now knowing from one minute to the next whether we would ever again see our loved one.

I knew he had a mother and father and that he was frightened I was. Perhaps, at another time and place, I would have killed him on the spot; as, I am sure, he would have killed me. But this was Christmas and he was a pitiful sight, starving, frightened and fighting for a cause that was lost.

Many thoughts flashed through my mind while I observed this enemy, whose country had pulled a sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, committed heinous atrocities on Bataan and Corregidor and was responsible for the death of some of my best friends.

## SHORT NOTICE - AUCTION OF RARE VALUABLE STOCK

### PERSIAN RUGS

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A complete shipment of genuine handwoven Persian and other Oriental rugs has been ordered for pre-Christmas sales for stores. The goods did not arrive on time and those financially responsible for the unpaid shipment have instructed their U.S. agents to auction the entire collection and other valuable pieces in single unit immediately.

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B. J. Sessions outside a cave

I had never believed that hate and compassion could exist at the same time. My training and instinct was to kill but my religious up-bringing, taught to me at an early age by my mother and grandmother, presented the greatest conflict I have ever experienced in my life.

The words, "Do unto others," kept going through my mind and I knew if the situation was reversed I would pray that this Japanese soldier would have compassion for me.

I gave him water from my canteen and shared my rations which consisted of a can of hash, crackers and a fig bar. He must have thought it a meal fit for a king.

While I was eating my mind drifted back to a story I had heard as a youngster about how in France during World War I on Christmas Eve the Allies and Germans declared a temporary truce and came out of the trenches to meet on the battlefield and share a few moments of celebration before returning to start killing each other again.

Realizing that I had made up my mind to let the man go, I told him that if I ever saw him again he would never make it back. I also advised him that if he had ten minutes to get back to his caves, he could do so.

As he moved off into the fog at the bottom of Bloody Nose Ridge, I caught a glimpse of him making his lonely ascent back to his prison in the caves. I knew, as I am sure he did, that he would never see his homeland again.

Several minutes after his departure, the Sergeant of the Guard arrived to check my post. It was obvious that no one had heard my two shots when he said, "How are things going?" "Fine," I said as he pulled away.

At that moment, I swear I saw a shooting star pass over the top of Bloody Nose Ridge.

As I continued to walk my post, I realized that I was humming "I'll Be Home for Christmas."

I did make it home for future Christmases but I doubt that my Japanese soldier did. He probably starved to death or was killed by the next marine who saw him as he came down searching for food.

I'll never know, as I left the island a few weeks after this strange encounter.

Until recently I have kept this secret with me, but now I feel it can be told. The Japanese are now our friends and most of the hatred and bitterness has passed.

For a long time I questioned my actions in letting a prisoner go but now I feel serene in knowing I gave the greatest Christmas gift of all.

I gave a man his life.

## Council renews Muehlenbeck contract

City Council has renewed its contract with City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck for another two-and-a-half years at a salary of \$90,000.

The contract covers the period from Jan. 1, 1987 to May 31, 1989.

Under the contract, approved Monday afternoon, Muehlenbeck will also receive \$400 a month automobile allowance, fringe benefits such as annual leave, sick leave, life insurance, hospitalization, Virginia sup-

plemental retirement system and payment of professional dues and subscriptions.

Muehlenbeck became city manager in April 1982. His salary is reviewed annually.

## Steven Conner gets \$250 honor scholarship

Steven Conner, a Virginia Beach resident and a Sophomore at Hampton University, has been presented an Honor Award Scholarship for his participation in the Ivy-Wall-Lid, Architect's First Annual Christmas Card Competition. He received a \$250 scholarship.

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## Toll roads

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the project and still not interrupt traffic flow further."

When construction on the plaza is completed in late March, there will be fourteen traffic lanes through the toll station, with a lane reserved for HOV traffic during rush hours.

The overall construction project at the toll plaza and Route 44 widening to permit extension of the HOV program eastward to Laskin Road has been expanded further to include installation of more than a mile of privacy fence on the north and south sides of Route 44 in the vicinity to the toll plaza.

The eight-foot-high fence will shield residential subdivisions in the immediate area from the roadway widening which will improve privacy for the neighborhoods. There will be approximately 4,200 feet of fencing erected on the south side of the highway and 1,300 feet on the north side.

The fence phase should be completed by the time the new toll lanes become operational. The modification program for the toll lane islands will provide higher concrete dividers between lanes, with impact attenuators to absorb the shock if they are struck by approaching vehicles.

Toll plaza and Route 44 construction in the area is part of an extended improvement program for the Expressway that included the I-64 flyover to

I-264 and Route 44; construction of collector distributor lanes in the vicinity of Newtown Road and I-64, construction of a new Newtown Road interchange and widening of Route 44 from three to four lanes in each direction from I-64 to just east of Laskin Road, to permit the introduction of the HOV concept on the highway.

The flyover opened to traffic in December, 1985, the collector lanes in the past summer and HOV was initiated from Newtown Road to the Toll Plaza last September 24.

East of the Toll Plaza the addition of two more lanes from the plaza to Rosemont Road is essentially complete but they have not yet been opened to traffic; construction of additional lanes between Rosemont Road and London Bridge Creek is under construction, and construction of additional lanes between London Bridge Creek and Laskin Road has been completed, but not opened to traffic.

The widening of Route 44 from two to three lanes in each direction from Laskin Road to Parks Avenue has been completed and opened to traffic on Dec. 3. Also a new interchange at First Colonial Road was opened to traffic in October.

Those elements not yet completed should be ready for traffic in early Spring, rounding out the major improvement program for the Expressway that has extended over a four-year period.

## Areas of Kempsville Rec Center to close during renovation

Three areas of the Virginia Beach Recreation Center-Kempville will be closed at different times to allow for air conditioning renovation work.

From now until Jan. 16, the Center's exercise room will be closed to the public. The weight program is cancelled during this closing.

Body jazz, trimmatics, karate and judo programs will be held at their regular times, but will be held in different locations. See individual instructors for

specifics.

Also, check postings at the Center periodically, in case the exercise room re-opens sooner than planned.

Jan. 5 through Feb. 13, the gymnasium will be closed intermittently to allow for renovation work. Check postings for listing of open hours.

The Center's racquetball court will be closed Jan. 5-31.

Call 495-1892 for more information regarding these closings.

## Robertson's son named pres.

The board of directors of The Christian Broadcasting Network, Inc., recently named M. G. (Pat) Robertson chairman of the board and chief executive officer. Timothy B. Robertson has been appointed president and chief administrative officer of CBN. Both positions will be effective Jan. 1, 1987.

These appointments will allow, according to a CBN news release, a division of responsibility which will enable CBN to address its recent growth areas, particularly CBN Cable Network and international ministries, in the most efficient manner.

CBN, Inc., was founded 25 years ago by Pat Robertson who, with initial capital of \$70, purchased a UHF television station in Portsmouth. Today the ministry includes one of the largest cable networks in the nation, an international relief arm called Operation Blessing, and the world's most watched religious talk show, "The 700 Club." Also included in CBN's umbrella are a Middle East Television Division; Continental Broadcasting, Inc., which consists of commercial broadcast facilities; Victor King Video, a

commercial home video production operation; and CBN University, a fully accredited graduate school.

Timothy B. Robertson, 32, currently serves as executive vice president for broadcast and video enterprises with CBN. In this capacity, Robertson is responsible for CBN's cable, programming, marketing, production, and broadcast network aspects. His experience includes 19 years of continuous involvement in the various phases of broadcast production and management. He has served as vice president and general manager of WXNE-TV, Boston, Mass., and has worked as an associate director, associate producer and field producer for "The 700 Club," CBN's international flagship program. Robertson's international experience includes operational and managerial responsibilities in South America and the Middle East as well.

In the past four years CBN Cable's subscriber level has grown to where it now numbers over 35 million, according to the press release.

Robertson serves on the boards of the Cable TV Advertising Bureau, National Academy of Cable Programming, the National Cable Television Association Committee, and the Satellite Network Committee.

He earned a bachelor of arts degree in English from the University of Virginia, a master of divinity degree from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary and has completed the executive program in business administration at the Graduate School of Business, Columbia University.

Timothy Robertson is married to the former Lisa Nelson of the Denver, Colorado, area and has three children. Robertson is a member of the vestry of Galilee Episcopal Church in Virginia Beach.

## Matt Werth, 15, is 4-H citizenship winner

A 15-year-old Virginia Beach 4-H member who led a campaign to collect aluminum cans for recycling to raise money for flood victims in Brazil is one of nine national winners in the 4-H citizenship program.

Matt Werth, 3217 Barlough Way, received a \$1,000 scholarship from the Coca-Cola Foundation, the program sponsor. He also was honored for his achievements at the Virginia Club Congress held at Virginia Tech in June.

Selected by the Cooperation Extension System, the national winners were presented with their awards during the 65th National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Dec. 6-11. Awards are arranged by National 4-H Council.

Werth, son of Mary J. Werth, is high school freshman and plans a career as a carpenter. He is a six-year 4-H member.

The Virginia Beach youth met two leaders of 4-S, a program in Brazil that is similar to 4-H in this country, when they visited his community. He posed for a photo with them that was later published in a newsletter in Brazil.

"I felt as if I had made friends and was upset to hear they had a severe flood after their return to Brazil," he said. The successful recycling campaign raised money to buy seed corn or bean seed in Brazil.

"Picking up trash and litter gave me a sense of responsibility for my share of how my city looks," Werth said.



Werth

As a result, he continued with his recycling efforts and said that in the past two years his 4-H group has recycled 16,976 pounds of paper, 5,140 pounds of glass, 2,258 pounds of aluminum and 292 pounds of steel cans.

"All of this has passed through my house at one time or another on its way to the recycling centers," he said.

When the city was hit by a severe drought, he helped cut his family's water usage by 50 percent and waged a public education program to reduce water usage citywide.

The youth also served as the teen leader of a group of latchkey children, teaching them how to protect, feed and entertain themselves when they are home alone while their parents are working.



Fowler

### O.C.I. names Fowler president

Col. Worthington Fowler II, U.S.A.F. (Ret.), 56, has been named president of Offshore Club International, Inc. Recently retired from the U.S. Air Force, Col. Fowler is an avid yachtsman and sails his 26 ft. sloop "Valdemossa" competitively. In addition he has organized and

formed several sail yacht clubs. Col. Fowler replaces Wm. S. Kennedy, who has become O.C.I. Chairman/CEO.

O.C.I. is currently chartering local sailing clubs in 147 cities throughout the world. It offers members a computerized crew/boat owner matching service, plus sailing instruction through the O.C.I. Sailing Academy.

## Man, woman sought in Blackwater burglaries

Virginia Beach Crime Solvers is offering a cash reward for information on burglaries that occurred in the rural Blackwater section of the city. Four break-ins occurred on Wednesday, Dec. 3, where guns and jewelry were taken.

The homes were in the following locations: 6400 block of Blackwater Road; 2900 block of Indian Creek Road; 1900 block of Hungarian Road in Chesapeake; and on Blackwater Road in North Carolina, just over the Virginia Beach line. The homes are in close proximity of one another and all were burglarized during the daytime.

The guns that were stolen include four Remington 12, 16, and 20 gauge shotguns; two Browning 16 gauge shotguns, one Fox 410 gauge, double barrel shotgun; one Sears 12 gauge shotgun; one Century 16 gauge shotgun; one

Marlin .22 caliber rifle; one Inland .30 caliber rifle; one Remington .308 caliber rifle; one Inland .30 caliber carbine. A large quantity of jewelry was also taken.

Detectives are looking for a man and woman who were seen at one of the houses in an early 1970s model, tan Ford Maverick, or similar car. Both are white and in their 20s. He is thin, has long, straight brown hair, and was wearing a dark head band. She has long black hair and a round face.

Any one with information about these or any other burglaries are asked to call Crime Solvers at 427-0000. A cash reward of up to \$1,000 is paid to anyone who provides information leading to an arrest or the recovery of the stolen property. No names or court appearances are required to collect a reward.

## More books to be accounted for when libraries engage new security system

The Virginia Beach Public Library system is activating an electronic security system on Friday, Jan. 2, 1987, to deter unauthorized removal of library materials. All bags, purses, and brief cases being carried by anyone setting off the security alarm will be subject to examination by library staff. The security system poses no risk to pacemakers, pregnant women, undeveloped film in cameras, or personally-owned audio or video cassettes.

The library recognizes that the majority of library patrons abide by the rules for borrowing and using library materials. These people will be unaffected by the security system. Library patrons will have access to more materials as a result of the security system detecting accidental or deliberate removal of library materials. The system will affect the city's five branch libraries, but not the law library or municipal reference.

The security system was made possible by a grant from the Virginia Beach Public Library Endowment Foundation. Citizens wishing to learn about the Endowment Foundation or the security system may contact the Department of Public Libraries at 427-4321.

## Mapping program receives reecognition

Virginia Beach has won the 1986 Public Technology, Inc. (PTI) Technology achievement Award for the City's "Computerization of Parcel-base Maps and Land Record Program."

This PTI recognition, afforded to only 14 communities nationwide, was made public Dec. 2 at the National League of Cities Congress of Cities in San Antonio, Texas.

"We're very excited about this award because it offers national recognition for a program we're extremely proud of and the people who made it

possible," said L. David Little, Surveys and Mapping superintendent. "In addition, this enhances the City's growing reputation for innovation."

Each year, PTI honors those communities whose programs and methods have helped cut costs and improved the effectiveness of public services.

PTI is the cooperative research and development organization of North American Cities and Counties and is the technical arm of the International City Management Association and the National League of Cities.

## "Starbound" is planetarium's new show

The Virginia Beach City Public Schools Planetarium program for January is entitled "Starbound." It is free and open to the public.

This program will present, among other things, an overview of man's progress in learning about the sky and beyond.

Planetarium hours are Sun-days, Jan. 11, 18 and 25, from 7 to 8 p.m.; Tuesdays, Jan. 6, 13,

20 and 27, from 7 to 8 p.m.

The planetarium will be closed on Sunday, Jan. 4.

The planetarium seats 120 people and is located on South Lynnhaven Road in the Plaza Junior High School.

Children under 12 should be accompanied by a parent. Call 486-1855 for information and reservations.

## Punzalan named to Who's Who

A David Lipscomb College student from Virginia Beach has been named to the 1987 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Emelyn Mercurio Punzalan, a

senior mathematics major, is among 42 Lipscomb students chosen this year, Dr. Dennis Loyd, dean of students, said. Punzalan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto Ocampo Punzalan, 1501 Mitchum Court.

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# Virginia Beach Public Notices

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Virginia Beach Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 7, 1987, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council Meeting Office. The following applications will appear on the agenda.

\*Please Note: If no one appears before the board to represent the applicant, the variance could be denied!!!

### REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1: Wesley B. Laine requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 33 and 34, Block 6, Lakeview, 1328 Brant Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 2: David A. Meigel requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 137, Section Three, Timberlake, 4236 Buttontown Court, Kempsville.

Case 3: Bradford A. Wise requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 16, Block O, Section 4, Aragona Village, 673 Raff Court, Bayside Borough.

Case 4: John T. Early, Jr. requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 9, Block A, Huntington Estates, 174 Huntington Drive, Kempsville Borough.

Case 5: David B. East requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 61, Section M-1, Indian Lakes, 1508 Mallory Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 6: J. T. Michum, Jr. by Baldwin and Gregg, Ltd. request a variance of 27 feet to an 8 foot setback from Sandra Lane instead of 35 feet as required (building addition) on Parcel "B", Section 1, Sherry Park, 6660 Indian River Road, Kempsville Borough.

Case 7: Earl W. Keegan requests a variance of 7 feet to a 13 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 20 feet as required (garage) on Parcel, North Alanton, 1413 N. Woodhouse Road. Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 8: Milton and Joseph Munkeby, Contract Purchasers request a variance of 5 feet to a 3 foot side yard setbacks (both sides) instead of 8 feet each as required (new residence) on Lot 33, Shore Realy, 75th Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 9: James B. and Lucyelle S. Farrell request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 38, Block D, Section 3, Charlestowne Lakes, 1916 Blue Knob Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 10: Dr. P. W. Handy requests a variance of 5 feet to a 15 foot front yard setback instead of 20 feet as required (screened porch) on Lot 14, Block 11, Section D, Cape Henry, 113 82nd Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 11: Malcome Little requests a variance of 12 feet to an 8 foot front yard setback (78th Street) instead of 20 feet as

required (proposed duplex) on Lot 6, Block 19, Section D, Cape Henry Syndicate, 7800 Oceanfront, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 12: Thomas and Alva Powers request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 279, Section 5, Red Mill Farm, 1112 Warner Hall Drive, Princess Anne Borough.

Case 13: Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lamkrie request a variance of 4 feet to a 26 foot front yard setback instead of 30 feet as required (cantilevered 2nd floor addition) on Lot 419, Block 2, Cape Story by the Sea, 2322 Oak Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 14: Terrence W. Bobka by Bradley K. Stanton (Swift Garages) request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - detached garage) on Lot 26, Section 1, Larksprur, 4704 Larksprur Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 15: Mark and Barbara McDermott request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 212, Section Two, Part C, Willow Woods, 1200 Hartford Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 16: Patricia S. Walker request a variance of 3 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (east side) instead of 8 feet as required (residential addition) on Lot 2, Block 20, Section E, Cape Henry, 202 65th Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 17: Melton Evans request a variance of 2.6 feet to a 7.4 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - storage shed) on Lot 33, Ballynnion Shores, 90' Norfleet Road, Kempsville Borough.

Case 18: Thomas A. Barton, Jr., Beach Ford, Inc. requests a variance of 7 signs to 10 signs instead of 3 signs as allowed and of 5 free-standing signs to 6 free-standing signs instead of 1 free-standing sign as allowed and for 1 free-standing sign to be 30 feet in height and for 3 free-standing signs to be 15.5 feet in height instead of 12 feet in height each as allowed and to waive the required 75 square feet of landscaping required at the base of each free-standing sign on a Parcel, 2717 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 19: Triton Incorporation c/o John E. Sirine and Associates request a variance to allow a curb cut to be 45 feet in width instead of 35 feet in width as allowed on a portion of Lots 1 and 2, Parcel D, Section 4, Aragona, 4873 Witchduck Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 20: A. M. Hodgson request a variance of 2 feet to an 8 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 1.5 feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 6 feet as previously approved by the Board of Zoning Appeals (June 19, 1985) (cantilevered 2nd story) on Lots of 17 and 19, Block 9, Section E, Cape Henry, 6907 A and B Atlantic Avenue, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 21: A. M. Hodgson request a variance of 3 feet 6 inches to a 14 foot 6 inch side yard adjacent to a street (70th Street) instead of 18 feet as required (2nd story decks) and of 2 feet to an 8 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 1.7 feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 6.2 feet as previously approved by the Board of Zoning Appeals (June 19, 1985) (cantilevered 2nd story) on Lots of 17 and 19, Block 9, Section E, Cape Henry, 6911 A and B Atlantic Avenue, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 22: Cox Cable T.V. of Tidewater, Inc. request a variance of 9 feet to a 16 foot set-

requirements.

"Meeting these requirements indicate that the women have exhibited above average work performance, loyalty, dependability and continued professional development," said Robbie Sams, Director of Private

Duty Nurses, Commonwealth Health Care. She added that the achievement certificates are part of the company's career ladder program to recognize employees for achievements, contributions and performance excellence.

Receiving certificates were:

Lucy Smith, Barbara Wade, Cathy Gilbert, Mary Lou Tan, Catherine Fogel, Lavonne Parker, Delois Davis, Julia McCall, Phyllis Daughtry, Nancy Beiswenger, Mary Pieper, Carol Thompson, Dorothy Sawyer, Maggie Baker, Barbara Edwards,

Joyce Holland, Molly Barber, Peggy Burghard, Berdie McNair, Betty Rader, Elizabeth Sharp, Barbara Miller, Eunice Ridley, Edith Blowe, and Olivia Freeman.

Take notice that on January 5, 1987 at 10:00 a.m. at the premises of Tidewater Imports, Inc., DBA The Hall Auto Mall, 3152 Virginia Beach Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23452,

the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself the right to bid, the following motor vehicles:

1985 Jeep, Serial #IJCCF87-AT7E6B066

1986 Jeep St. Wagon, Serial #IJCWB7816GT171644  
1983 Chevrolet Camaro, Serial #IG1AP8754DN157781

1985 Pontiac Grand AM, Serial #IG2NE27U3FC702645

1983 Pontiac Grand Prix, Serial #IG2A37A2DB231904  
The Hall Auto Mall  
T. J. Nowak  
Comptroller  
303-10 It 12-24 VB

back from the north property line instead of 25 feet as required for a commercial antenna on a 1.82 Acre Parcel, Area 1, Commerce Street, Park, 5200 Cleveland Street, Bayside Borough.

Case 23: Robert R. Bird requests a variance of 9 feet to a 1 foot side and rear yard setbacks (northeast corner) instead of 10 feet each as required (accessory building - storage shed) and of 2 feet in fence height to a 6 foot fence instead of a 4 foot fence as allowed in a required side yard adjacent to a street (Cannmore Road) on Lot 1, Block D, Section 4, Brigadoon Pines, 1613 Pennywhistle Arch, Kempsville Borough.

DEFERRED AGENDA:  
Case 1: Richard A. Muskovac requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 33 and 34, Block 6, Lakeview, 1328 Brant Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 14: Terrence W. Bobka by Bradley K. Stanton (Swift Garages) request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - detached garage) on Lot 26, Section 1, Larksprur, 4704 Larksprur Court, Kempsville Borough.

APPEAL AGENDA:

Case 1: Boyd Homes c/o John E. Sirine requests an appeal of the Zoning Administrator's determination in reference to allowed unit density.

All applicants must appear before the board!

\*Please Note: If no one appears before the board to represent the applicant, the variance could be denied!

Paul N. Sutton  
Secretary  
303-92 12-31 VB

Take notice that on 6 January 1987 at 10:00 a.m. on the premises of Weaver's Auto, 1096 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, VA 23451 Weaver's Auto, will sell at public auction for cash reserving unto himself the right to bid, the following vehicles:

1970 Ford VIN F2E6AH90-308,

1978 Ford VIN B86SH112849  
Chevrolet VIN IX27H3L17-1003

IX27H3L171003

1967 Ford V7Y22Z178625

1966 Dodge VIN WH23D67-177263

1977 Oldsmobile VIN 3B69C-7L104154

1979 Ford VIN 9T10Y218350

1974 Pontiac VIN 2K5TT74P-161959

1974 AMC VIN A4E465A-19055

1971 Pontiac VIN 2AJ37A-BP614920

303-18 It 12-24 VB

Take notice that on December 26, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4735 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1977 Ford Maverick, Serial #7X9110-93

Pembroke Auto Sale  
303-18 2-24 VB

Take notice, that on December 26, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4735 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1977 Cadillac DeVille, Serial #B6G9570232719

Pembroke Auto Sales  
303-21 It 12-24 VB

Take notice, that on December 26, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4735 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1978 Pontiac Bonneville, Serial #2Q69Y822200

Pembroke Auto Sales  
303-21 It 12-24 VB

Take notice, that on December 29, 1986, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auc-

tion, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1982 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, Series -1G1A237K4CB185965.  
Bayside Motors  
303-5 It 12-24 VB

Take notice, that on December 29, 1986, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1979 Ford LTD, Serial #1946F137880  
Bayside Motors  
303-4 It 12-24 VB

Take notice, that on December 29, 1986, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself, the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1979 Ford LTD, Serial #1946F137880  
Bayside Motors  
303-7 It 12-31 VB

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be heard in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, January 12, 1987, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:  
PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of Aqua Sports, Inc. for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-1 Apartment District to P-1 Preservation District on certain property located at the northern extremity of Lovett's Pond Lane. Said parcel contains 880 feet more or less West of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1800 feet more or less North of t. f. Birdneck Road. Said parcel contains 2.93 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of Green Hill by The Bay Condominium Association for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a pier on certain property located at the northern extremity of Lovett's Pond Lane. Said parcel contains 8712 square feet more or less. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of Ernest L. & Phillips A. Hudson for CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-3 Central-Business District to L-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the South side of Cleveland Street beginning at a point 800 feet more or less West of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1800 feet more or less North of t. f. Birdneck Road. Said parcel contains 2.93 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Brook Baptist Church for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a church addition on the South side of Wishart Road, 1170 feet more or less West of N. Witchduck Road. Said parcel is located at 4397 Wishart Road and contains 6 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Brook Baptist Church for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a church addition on the South side of Wishart Road, 1170 feet more or less West of N. Witchduck Road. Said parcel is located at 4397 Wishart Road and contains 6 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of the Salvation Army, a Georgia Corporation, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a rehabilitation center/sanitorium on Lots 13, 14, and the Western 55 feet of Lot 15, Milburn Manor. Said parcel is located at 5560 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 3.5 acres. BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH:

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Beach Crab Associates for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for multiple family dwellings in the C-1 Arts and Conference District on certain property located on the West side of Cypress Avenue beginning at a point 50 feet North of 18th Street. Said parcels are located at 1807 and 1811 Cypress Avenue and contain 1.1 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, Lynnhaven Borough.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodes Smith, CMC

301-10-21-12-24 VB

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be heard in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday,

DITTONAL USE PERMIT for recreational facilities of an outdoor nature (executive golf course) on the West side of S. Birdneck Road beginning at a point 1700 feet more or less North of Bell Roads. Said parcel is located at 415 S. Birdneck Road and contains 41 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

DITTONAL USE PERMIT for more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodes Smith, CMC

301-9-21-12-24 VB

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 24th day of November, 1986.

Gail Elaine Davis Littlejohn, Plaintiff, against Norman Warrender Littlejohn, Jr., Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vincola Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of Separation lasting for more than one year in accordance with Section 20-91 (9) of the Code of Virginia (1950) as Amended.

AND AFFIDAVIT:

The affidavit having been made and filed by the defendant last known post office address being 1601 N. Brunswick St., Sterling Park, (Loudoun County), VA 22710, and that due diligence has been used by and on behalf of the plaintiff to ascertain the defendant is, without effect, it is ordered that Norman Warrender Littlejohn, Jr. do appear on or before the 15th of January, 1987, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A COPY TESTE:

J. Curtis Fruitt, Clerk

By: Rhonda V. Tynes, D.C.

Theodore A. Boyce

2648 Virginia Beach Boulevard

Virginia Beach, VA 23452

277-17-12-24 VB

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 21st day of November, 1986

Joseph J. Allen, Plaintiff, again

joyce A. Allen, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vincola Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of a One Year Separation. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being Patrol Squadron VP-9 San Francisco, CA 96601-5905, it is ordered that Joyce A. Allen do appear on or before the 12th of January, 1987, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

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## Long distance flying

Virginia Beach aviator, with 17,000 flight hours,  
says Voyager crew's worst enemy was mental fatigue

By James D. Barr  
Staff Writer

Grueling mental fatigue.

That was probably the hardest aspect of the Voyager flight, according to Captain Darrell Gordon, a 15-year Virginia Beach resident and assistant chief pilot for Piedmont Airlines at Norfolk International Airport.

And Gordon should know. He is a third generation pilot who for the past 35 years has been flying privately and professionally.

"The day I turned 16 I soloed for the first time," he said. Since then, he's logged thousands of flight hours cooped inside tiny cockpits.

Gordon, 51, who lives in King's Grant, said he followed the Voyager flight with interest since he has had personal experience in long distance flying.

*"That's one of the problems of mental stress. You can be looking straight at something and not see it."—Pilot Darrell Gordon.*

"When you are in the air seven or eight hours," he said, "you are really working 10 to 12 hours" because of the preflight and postflight details that are necessary. That can be a long day," he added.

"A lot of people think that a pilot's work day is easy." But Gordon stresses that the mental strain is tough.

"The number one problem for pilots on long trips is mental stress," he said. "With the Voyager pilots, this would have been compounded by the small space and dehydration."

Most commercial airplanes with their pressurized cabins, for example, the humidity is only three to five percent. "Pilots even use creams on their skin because it gets so dry," said Gordon.

With the Voyager pilots, Dick Rutan and Jeana Yeager, the stressful conditions would have been multiplied.

"Even being in a small airplane on a long trip can be tough," said Gordon. "With no bathroom, no space to exercise in even to get up and walk around, you have to have someone to back you up."

Gordon said on his commercial flights the crew goes through a "challenge and answer" routine. "Each person goes through the checklist," he said. "A constant check and recheck" of all the instruments.

"That's one of the problems of mental stress. You can be looking straight at something and not see it," he said.

Gordon echoed the Voyager pilots when he said that boredom is not a big problem.

"There is something to do every minute," Gordon said. "You are constantly scanning. There is a flow pattern and you get to know what to look at all the time. And while you are looking at the instrument panel there is also the monitoring of the airwaves that must be done."

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"In the U.S. you are constantly in radio contact," Gordon continued. "On the real long hauls, like over the Atlantic, you check in very often. Sometimes you do this at scheduled times or when you pass certain latitude readings."

Gordon's experience over the years has seen him on planes of every size.

"I've been on everything from the DC-3, the workhorse of World War II; to the 727's holding 164 passengers."

17,000 flight hours

Gordon has logged over 17,000 flight hours, his longest flight being from New York to Tokyo, landing there only long enough to refuel and take off again for Hong Kong.

"It took 18 hours altogether," he said, "and I felt it when I got off the plane."

Reflecting on the Voyager flight, Gordon said a big danger while flying would have been the weather.

"With the satellite communication of today, and I'm sure they had the most up-to-date equipment, the navigation would be no real problem," said Gordon. "But the weather above 10,000 feet can get violent. With their light plane and the strong winds, they probably really bounced around."

In his years of flying, he noted that the bouncing can be dangerous for two reasons.

"Physically you can get hurt," he said. "But also, sometimes you bounce around so much your eyes can't focus. You think the plane is moving around but it is your eyes that are vibrating and it looks like the instruments are shaking."

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When asked about the effects of the Voyager flight, Gordon said he thought they have proven a lot, "especially with the light weight alloys, their capabilities, new standards for flight range and even greater distance records."

"They did something that everyone who loves aviation would want to try," he continued.

When asked if he would have liked to have been on the flight he said without hesitation, "I'd love to try it. The only problem is I would probably have to stand in line with plenty of other guys who would be willing."

## City Council debates new S.P.C.A. site

By Lee Cahill  
City Council Reporter

The Virginia Beach S.P.C.A. is moving, but the permission didn't come easy.

Local veterinarians fought a conditional use permit for the new site because, they said, an animal hospital went beyond the purposes of the S.P.C.A.

The S.P.C.A. applied for a

conditional use permit for an animal hospital pound, shelter and kennel on a 2.5 acre site on the east side of Holland road, south of Landstown Road.

The present site, off General Booth Boulevard, is being crowded out by growth along the General Booth Boulevard, F. Reid Ervin, S.P.C.A. spokesman told Council last week, and is

poorly drained and was not a good site to begin with.

The new site will allow the S.P.C.A. to build a larger 10,000-square foot building in an area where residential growth is not likely to occur because of the Navy casements over the property. The site is within the AICUZ (Air Compatible Use) Zone 2 and accident potential zone C

surrounding Naval Air Station Oceana.

Charles Salle, attorney representing the S.P.C.A., said that some confusion exists on "what the application is all about." He said the S.P.C.A. is merely trying to relocate its present facility. Pound or shelter, whatever the facility is called, he said, it will not be a commercial kennel. It will not have a hospital, he said, but the S.P.C.A. anticipates leasing space to a veterinarian, which is what is being done at the present site.

He said the S.P.C.A. was before Council for a decision on a land-use item, not on competition among veterinarians.

He said the facility would not have the type of kennel that boards dogs, that it would not have a hospital, and that the veterinarian would not be an employee of the S.P.C.A. The S.P.C.A. only wanted to do at the new site what it was doing at the present site.

After hearing objections from the veterinarians, Salle remarked, "I think I'll go home and throw out my James Herriot books. Herriot (*All Creatures Great and Small*) writes about veterinarians."

Elizabeth Siles, a life board member, said of the present shelter which opened in 1969, "For years we were awash in water.... We sat in green slime."

She said the shelter handled over 100,000 animals a year, that the Holland Road site would be more accessible and more central and that the S.P.C.A. would not be operating a boarding kennel because it would lose its tax exemption if it did. She also said it would not operate a clinic, but just rent space to a veterinarian and that the S.P.C.A. would carry out its present activities but in a more efficient manner.

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President's Challenge Cap III Award winner, Ron Creamer, Area Sales Manager, The Sperry & Hutchinson Company, and his wife Kim, honored by Gil Lewis, Vice President, Sales, The Sperry & Hutchinson Company (far left) and Bill Penwell, President, The Sperry & Hutchinson Company (far right).

### Beach resident wins S & H Co. award

Ron L. Creamer, Virginia Beach Area Sales Manager, has been recognized for outstanding sales achievement during the Sperry & Hutchinson Company's President's Challenge Cap III Sales Campaign. Creamer ranked in the top 10% in the selling of new business.

Bill Penwell, President of S & H, recently presented Creamer with a President's Challenge Cap Award for this achievement. This award was presented to Creamer and other S & H sales achievers at a gala awards dinner during a spectacular four day trip to New York City.

Creamer has been employed by S & H since October, 1982.



### Messiah Sing Along

A near capacity crowd took part in this year's Messiah Sing-Along held at the Virginia Beach Pavilion. For more photos and story see page 4.

Photos by James D. Barr

## Local watercolorist shows at the Municipal Gallery

Works of Virginia Beach artist Charles Andrews will be showing at the Municipal Center gallery from Jan. 5 to Feb. 2.

She will display 12 watercolor works chiefly realistic scenes of the oceanfront.

A native of the area, the artist has worked 10 to 12 years in watercolor. This is her preferred medium, although she is proficient in other mediums as well.

Andrews has shown for the past three years in both the Arts Center's Neptune Festival Art Show and Norfolk's Ghent Arts Festival. She has an Associate Degree in Fine Arts from Tidewater Community College.

## Virginia Beach EMS honored by governor

The Virginia Beach Division of Emergency Medical Services recently received the Governor's Award.

Named as the Outstanding EMS Agency for the Commonwealth of Virginia, the City's 11 all-volunteer rescue squads were noted for their many innovations in the area of pre-hospital patient care. Recognized in the Jan. 1986 edition of the Journal of

Emergency Medical Service as the only all-volunteer rescue service among the nation's 100 most populous cities, Virginia Beach's EMS is also known for several "firsts" in the Commonwealth.

"We're pleased to receive this statewide recognition of our program. It's the end result of countless hours of dedication by over 500 members," said EMS Director Bruce W. Edwards.

## Circuit Court renovation work to cause temporary relocation

Several areas of the Virginia Beach Circuit Court building will be closed off to the public during renovation work designed to expand the building's court capacity.

The building which houses Circuit Court #4 will be undergoing renovation for the creation of Circuit Court #7. Throughout the renovation process, signs will be posted with regard to designated temporary relocation sites.

During the initial reconstruction process, the ceiling type was noted to be an acoustical plaster, commonly used in commercial construction prior to 1972. As this type of plaster sometimes contains asbestos, the city requested testing to be done by Marine Chemist Service, Inc.

Testing determined that the plaster did in fact contain asbestos, which when disturbed such as during renovation, can flake off causing a potential health hazard to building occupants.

Although the present condition of the ceiling material and the results of ongoing air sampling tests have revealed no hazardous exposure to building occupants, to date, the city's Safety Office nevertheless recommended, per EPA guidelines, that during reconstruction, affected areas be sealed off and the asbestos material removed as part of the renovation process.

## Editorials

## Voyager—Looking to the future

Last week Dick Rutan and Jeana Yeager became the first people ever to circumnavigate the globe in an airplane without landing or refueling. Their historic flight was followed by millions of people around the world and in the nine days they were aloft, their progress and problems were a part of every news broadcast.

Helping them along the way was their complicated navigational system. Being tied into a complex satellite system allowed them and the world to know exactly where they were and what they would encounter ahead.

America should be proud of this achievement. We have placed men on the moon, gathered material from other planets and sent satellites to the edge of our solar system. Today's technology continues to allow us to do new things, understand more, reach new horizons.

But do we know in what direction we are going?

With the success of the Voyager, new opportunities open up. The ramifications of what they did will make an impact on more than the aviation industry.

No one can say what the final effect of such an event will be. Without a doubt there will be other attempts and new records set. Man has always wanted to go farther, higher and faster and been able to do it.

But in the midst of our technological race, do we have our own personal "navigational equipment" to safely guide our society? The flight pointed out the biggest limiting factor in endeavors such as these: Man is limited by himself.

Where man has been able to devise machines capable of exploring our universe, he is at the same time confronted by the frailties and shortcomings of what the human body can endure.

The Voyager's nine day flight took its toll on the pilots. They were tested and thankfully, were able to respond. As the fanfare dies down, the Voyager flight should be put into perspective. More than a record-setting plane ride, it shows man's ever-present desire to control his world; testing his limits, pushing forward.

With the accomplishment of the Voyager in the record books, new goals will be set. And everytime the stakes are raised, whether it is to go a little bit faster or a little bit farther, greater risks are taken. Let us hope that our desire to move forward is tempered by the wisdom to know how to do safely.—J.D.B.

## The New Year Ahead

As we enter the new year, it is time to assess 1986. It is also time to look ahead to the possibilities of 1987.

Each of us, in our own way, looks back on the things that affected our lives this past year. Though we can say that one more year is behind us, I think most would agree that the quality of life is much more important than the quantity.

And therein lies the question! How do you measure quality of life?

All of us answer that question in some way. We look at our bank accounts and other material possessions which are easy enough to see. Then we figure in our vocational status; things like promotions and raises (or their opposites) help us get our bearings. With greater difficulty we allow for things like our social life, mental health, marital status and future plans.

Somewhat we come to a conclusion about where we have gone in the past year and where we hope to go in the future. It would be nice to think everyone has had a "good" year. Sadly, it is not the case.

As we look forward, the opportunity to better our city lies before us. 1986, for good and bad, is behind us. Now is the time to prepare for the future.—J.D.B.

## Messiah Sing-Along

This year's Fourth Annual "Messiah Sing-Along" was again a success. It is this type of event that makes Virginia Beach a special place.

The efforts of each of the Virginia Beach Community Orchestra members, its director David S. Kunkel, and the soloists who gave of their time and talent should gain the highest praise. For such an event, there are many others who help in the background. To everyone who was involved, thank you.

The whole community benefits because of these performances. Virginia Beach is enriched and culturally enhanced. No value can be placed on events like these. Hats off to all those who help to make Virginia Beach a better place to live.—J.D.B.



## Letters to the Editor

### Discipline at College Park

Editor:

Recently publicity about discipline at College Park Elementary School has cast aspersions on an excellent faculty and school. Confronted with allegations, the School Board has requested that the central administration investigate the charges and that investigation is in progress. Investigations of this nature must be thorough and take time. In the meantime, teachers at that school feel that their best efforts to provide fair and just discipline have been challenged and that their professional reputations have been seriously damaged.

I know that the discipline program at their school is sound and that they carry out the program with a reasonable common sense approach. To date, I

have interviewed 29 individuals at the school and have discussed the discipline program and how they carry out discipline in their school. Not one person I talked to had a derogatory word to say about the discipline program or how it is being implemented.

The question that many of these teachers are agonizing over is how do they defend themselves and their school against allegations that have been taken so far out of context as to become preposterous? In the eyes of hundreds of parents and students they are not in defense, because they all know that their teachers are very good and that the discipline at their school is fair and just. In the eyes of the community that doesn't know the teachers and staff at College Park

by deed, they can gain comfort in the fact that College Park School just last year was designated a U.S. Department of Education model school and one of the reasons it was selected was due to the discipline program cooperatively developed by the administration and staff.

I am confident that when the central administration finishes the investigation, the school and its faculty will be commended for excellent discipline. While they wait, I offer the faculty and staff my utmost support and confidence.

James B. Chapman,  
UniServe Director,  
Virginia Beach Education  
Association

## State library appreciation

Editor:

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fices with timely information concerning your locality.

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We are grateful to you for your gift which helps defray the cost of preserving your newspaper for present and future research.

Ella Gaines Yates,  
State Librarian,  
Virginia State Library

## Western art exhibited at Arts Center

The Virginia Beach Arts Center will present an exhibition of Non-traditional Western Art Jan. 9 through Feb. 8. Included will be seven contemporary artists who use non-traditional approaches to Western United States subjects. Featured artists are Anne Bousquet of Norfolk; Ken Holder of Bloomington, Illinois; Peter Jagoda of Yuma, Arizona; Dan Kiacz of Norman, Oklahoma; Mark Klett of Tempe, Arizona; Virginia Van Horn of Norfolk; and Curt Walters of Missoula, Montana.

Dan Kiacz exhibits complex silk-screen prints which portray an imaginary Western hero named El Diablo. El Diablo is a skeleton cowboy who journeys through the Southwest. Kiacz teaches printmaking at the University of Oklahoma.

Mark Klett of Tempe, Arizona, shows photographs which incorporate artifacts and pumice into classically beautiful compositions. Loosely based on nineteenth century geological survey photographs, Klett's work addresses "the many conflicting values and attitudes which are shaping a new landscape just as powerfully as geological forces in the past." Klett has received three NEA Fellowships and is Studio Manager at the Photography Collaborative of Arizona State University.

Peter Jagoda, a Professor of Art at Arizona Western College, exhibits jewelry. His small objects are like spurs found on cowboy boots. Jagoda's spurs were most recently seen in Jewelry, USA, at the American Craft Museum in New York City.

Two Norfolk artists are included with three-dimensional works. Anne Bousquet, a printmaking instructor at Old Dominion University, shows an eighteen-panel installation combining collage elements in mixed media assemblage. Virginia Van Horn, an instructor of Art at Norfolk State University, exhibits a neon horse suspended from the gallery ceiling.

Also included are photographs by Montana photographer Curt Walters and paintings by Illinois Western artist Ken Holder.

For more information contact the Arts Center at 425-0000.

## Happy New Year from the staff of The Virginia Beach Sun!

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Letters may be written on all topics, but the editor reserves the right to edit as necessary. Send letters to The Virginia Beach Sun, 138 South Rosemont Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452.

## Art News

### Arts Center students exhibit landscapes

Eight local artists will be represented at the Humana Gallery, a satellite gallery for art sponsored by the Virginia Beach Arts Center, between Jan. 5 and Feb. 2.

The show was curated by Virginia Beach artist and Virginia Beach Arts Center instructor Suzanne Stevens, who chose work from her VBAC class "Landscape on Location." The class has been running for seven years, meeting weekly for outdoor painting at Azalea Gardens, Redwing Park, Fort Story, Pungo, Lynnhaven Inlet, and other parks and oceanfront sites.

Participating artists include: Betty Banks, Betty Bonnie, Carolyn Courtney, Susan Check, Gray Dodson, Virginia Reid, Rae Stein and Sharon Swetnam.

Of the artists, Stevens says, "I have worked with these women on and off for the past seven years and have been quite impressed with their dedication to their art. What they all have in common is an open-ended approach to learning, perseverance, and enough pride and humility to take criticism well. The students have grown immensely over the years, and in turn, I have learned from them."

The Humana Gallery is located in the Bayside Humana Building at 800 Independence Boulevard. Hours are Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. The show is free and open to the public.

## Commentary

## The key to training quality teachers

## LET'S TALK

By Rob Jones, president,  
Virginia Beach Education Association

Some education reform initiatives make headlines. Some others only make sense.

Several weeks ago, dozens of education's most thoughtful leaders met in the nation's capital for one of those efforts that seldom catch the spotlight. Their agenda: ensuring that new teachers have what it takes.

These leaders—school board members, administrators, college deans, state officials, and teachers—were all board members of what may be the least-known significant group in all of education, the National Council of Accreditation of Teacher Education.

NCATE is the only national agency that accredits/approves programs for the preparation of teachers. It began in 1954 when the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, the Council of Chief State School Officers, and NEA all joined forces to create a much-needed independent quality control instrument to revitalize teacher education.

NCATE isn't a government agency. It's a partnership of educators. In NCATE, faculty from a broad array of subject-matter disciplines work side by side with experts on how children learn. Together, they measure teacher-training institutions against standards that are both challenging and high.

The institutions that meet these standards earn the NCATE seal of approval. Many school districts look for this seal. They check to see if applicants for teaching positions have graduated from NCATE-accredited programs because they know that teachers prepared by these programs have received a top-rate education.

NCATE is a voluntary body. The colleges and universities NCATE evaluates choose, on their own, to be evaluated. Teacher preparation institutions are under no legal mandate to seek NCATE approval. Perhaps that's why the majority of teacher preparation programs in the United States have never gone through the NCATE accreditation process. Of the almost 1,300 programs that train teachers, less than half have volunteered for NCATE review. Only 525 are NCATE-accredited.

State governments could change this situation by insisting that all teacher education programs meet NCATE standards. The education groups that make up NCATE have urged this action for years. We've argued that the nation can't afford second-rate teachers unversed of their subject matter and uncertain how to teach it.

More and more state policymakers, fortunately, are embracing this message. They're realizing that excellence in education demands rigorous, comprehensive teacher preparation programs—programs

that graduate teachers who know their subject and how to teach it, programs that produce teachers who understand what children need and how children grow.

NCATE accrediting aims to help all colleges and universities that train teachers reach these goals, and the institutions that invite NCATE inspection are usually glad they did. The evaluation experience forces institutions to come to grips—sometimes for the first time—with how they're doing and where they're headed.

Penn State went through the NCATE review process last spring, and it wasn't easy. The university first had to complete an institutional "self-study" that compared its performance to a long list of NCATE quality criteria.

The second step was an on-site evaluation investigating every aspect of Penn State's teacher preparation program. The NCATE evaluation team interviewed teachers, students, and administrators. They asked tough questions: Does Penn State provide prospective teachers with experiences in urban, rural, and suburban settings? Does the program teach students how to design instructional activities for pupils of varying racial and cultural backgrounds? Does the library offer adequate resources? Are practicums for student teachers closely supervised? Does the program prepare students to teach the handicapped?

In the end, after all the interviews and classroom visits, Penn State measured up. Penn State passed the test. But so many other institutions have never even taken the exam. That had better change. If we want a quality teacher in every classroom, we need quality training for every teacher.

## For the holidays: Good cheer and good sense

The holiday season is a festive time—a time for sharing with friends and family. For many Virginia Beach residents, enjoying alcoholic beverages has traditionally been a part of these celebrations.

The holiday season is also one of the busiest times on the nation's highways. The Federal Highway Administration (FHA) estimates that the total number of miles traveled on our roads in Dec. 1985 and Jan. 1986 was over 272 million miles. In addition, according to the FHA, vehicle travel on average has increased 4.2 percent over last year.

With the large number of travelers on the road during the holidays and so many opportunities for celebration, now more than ever precautions must be taken to avoid drunk driving.

Progress has been made in the struggle to make our highways safer. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) statistics reveal that highway fatalities occurring over the Christmas holiday decreased more than 10 percent from 1984 to 1985.

Moreover, the number of drunk drivers killed in traffic accidents throughout the year decreased 26 percent from 1980 to 1985, according to NHTSA.

This decline can be attributed, at least in part, to increased public awareness about the dangers of drunk driving and to the many alcohol education programs in place throughout the country.

Groups such as Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD), the American Automobile Association (AAA) and Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) have succeeded in focusing public attention on the problem of drunk driving.

The AAA, for example, has launched a national campaign targeting the problem of holiday entertaining and drunk driving entitled, "First a Friend, Then a Host."

The alcohol beverage industry itself has launched advertising campaigns and educational programs to address this problem. The National Licensed Beverage Association, representing tavern owners, offers seminars to servers of alcohol beverages teaching methods to prevent alcohol abuse and drunk driving by customers.

"Thinking About Drinking," is a national alcohol education/prevention program offered to high schools across the country by distiller Heublein, Inc.

Joseph E. Seagram & Sons, Inc.'s advertising campaign promotes moderation dates back more than 50 years and is but one of many public service ad campaigns sponsored by distillers.

These are just a few examples of successful efforts by others, but what can you do to help prevent drunk driving? The

Distilled Spirits Council of the U.S. (DISCUS) says that the most important step you can take this holiday season is to make sure that you do not drive drunk.

DISCUS also offers the following tips:

- First, know the facts. Be aware of the legal drinking limit as well as your own personal limits. The legal limit in most states is a blood alcohol concentration level of .10 percent.

- Remember, typical servings of beer, wine and liquor all contain equal amounts of pure alcohol and moderation should be practiced when consuming any of the three alcohol beverages. (Typical servings are 12 ounces of beer, 5 ounces of wine, and 1.25 ounces of 80 proof liquor.)

- Avoid drinking an empty stomach. Food in your stomach can help slow down the absorption of alcohol into your blood stream. High protein foods such as cheese, meats and nuts are best.

- Pace yourself. Set a limit to the number of drinks you will have and stay within the limit. One way to do this is by sipping your drinks slowly.

- If you are drinking mixed drinks, it would be preferable to use non-carbonated mixers such as fruit juices or water. Carbonated mixers tend to speed up alcohol's absorption into your blood stream.

- If you are out with a group of friends, select one person as your "designated driver"—someone who agrees not to drink alcohol beverages in order to drive the others home safely.

- Be aware that your mood can alter how alcohol affects you. If you are tired, tense, or upset, you are likely to be affected more dramatically by alcohol beverages.

- Be cautious if you do not drink during the year, or if you are trying new drinks at a party or outing.

- Beware of mixing alcohol with drugs—prescription or otherwise—this can intensify alcohol's effects on you.

- Finally, if you have overimbibed, do not drive. Time is the only cure for intoxication.

If you entertain friends at home this holiday season, the following suggestions may help keep your party safe and enjoyable for everyone.

- Always offer your guests a choice of non-alcoholic drinks if you plan on serving alcohol beverages.

- Have plenty of food on hand for party-goers. (As mentioned above, food in your stomach can help slow the absorption rate of alcohol.)

- Measure the amount of alcohol in your drinks if you are serving mixed drinks.

- Only refill a glass if your guest requests it. This way your guest will not feel pressured to drink more than he or she normally would.

- If one of your guests has had too much to drink, stop serving that person alcohol beverages. Offer a non-alcoholic beverage instead.

- Do not allow alcohol beverages to become the focus of your party—alcohol beverages should enhance a party, not be the reason for it. Plan activities for your party, and encourage lively conversation.

- Be a good example for your guests—practice moderation.

- Finally, as the party winds down (about one hour prior to the end of the party), discontinue serving alcohol beverages to your guests. This is a good time to serve a dessert or late snack. And never serve "one for the road."

## Music Notes

## Chamber Music Society to perform at TCC

Chamber III of the Chamber Music Society of Virginia will present an evening of chamber music at Tidewater Community College on Jan. 13. The performance will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Pungo Building Theater on the Virginia Beach Campus of TCC.

According to Madeline Frank, society director, the program will compliment the Art Faculty Show currently on display in the Pungo Building Gallery.

The program will feature

Madeline Frank on the viola, Fran Goldman on the clarinet, and Lynda Gilpin on the piano. The trio will perform works by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Carl Reinecke, Max Bruch and Alfred Uhl. Uhl is currently professor in theory and composition at the Virginia State Academy of Music. The compositions were chosen to reflect the mood, shape and color of the art work currently being shown.

Detailed program notes will accompany the Chamber III performance. The program is free and open to the public. For more information call 427-7183.

## Sweet Adelines set Jan. 6 "Guest Night"

The Virginia Coast Chorus of Sweet Adelines, which promotes four-part harmony, barbershop style, for women, is having a "Guest Night" on Tuesday, Jan.

6, at 7:30 p.m.

The program will be held at the Thalia Trinity Presbyterian Church, 420 Thalia Road in Virginia Beach. No experience is necessary.

For more information, call 464-5823 or 340-7746.

## Tax strategies to dominate year's end

## Wall Street

## The Week Ahead



By George T. Stagg

Bring a sharp knife and a jar of Guldens because this week we have got to cut the mustard.

Here we are, down to the finish line, still looking for our year-end

rally with the DOW flirting with its all time high of 1955. It is not inconceivable to have a happy new ending for the old year with a new high in the "blue chip" index. The problem is that the market continues to be dominated by a narrow handful of blue chips while the broad list is keeping pace.

The last trading session of the year is often one of the busiest. All those last minute tax strategies culminate in the final few hours and there is usually a long string of small round lot activity as the old year breathes its last. This year the tax loss selling will be accompanied by last minute profit taking as investors have the option of applying gains to either 1986 or 1987. The decision does not have to be made until April 15, 1987.

In contrast, the first trading

session of any new year often proves to be the slowest of the year. This is particularly true when the session is nestled within the framework of a long weekend as is the case this time around.

On the "Guru" front, we have heard from our favorite star gazer, Arch Crawford. He tells us that there will be a maximum tidal force rally on December 30 and 31. Arch says that Mars-Jupiter square Mercury-Saturn this week, thus creating a market bottom. The rally will come into the highest tides in 18 years in Northern latitudes.

It's not exactly the put-call ratio, but any port in a storm. Give me another egg-nog, dear.

George Stagg is a registered Account Executive and Portfolio Manager with Prudential-Bache Securities located on Laskin Road.

Stihl sponsors firewood seminars  
20 consumers attend seminars

Twenty people recently attended a Consumer Firewood Seminar cosponsored by Mid-Atlantic Stihl, Inc., and The American Pulpwood Association.

Logging/forestry expert Soren Erickson worked with Stihl and the APA to design the special consumer training seminars.

The seminar featured instructional training information about protective apparel and accessories, and hands-on "how-to" training. The hands on training used a tree stump model to demonstrate various types of fellings cuts. The seminar also included a Consumer Firewood Safety film, produced for use in these seminars.

"A lot of the men asked about the correct way to start a chain saw and were interested in protective apparel," said Mike Preddy, technical services instructor with Mid-Atlantic Stihl. "They had a very positive reaction to the fellings cuts and cutting techniques that were demonstrated."

Doug Melton, Land and Coates Inc.'s store manager, who hosted the seminar, said, "Everyone seemed to get a lot out of it. They were very in-

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**Messiah Sing-Along****Messiah Sing-Along generates \$535 for Joy Fund**

By James D. Barr

Staff Writer

Music lovers from Virginia Beach and the surrounding communities crowded into the Virginia Beach Pavilion recently to take part in the Fourth Annual "Messiah Sing-Along."

The growing enthusiasm over the event was readily apparent as every copy of the score for Handel's "Messiah" that went on sale before the performance was gone long before the program began.

Nearly 700 people played the part of the chorus as the Virginia Beach Community Orchestra, led by Director David Kunkel, sup-

plied the music.

The evening started with the audience warming up with two traditional Christmas carols, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "O Come, All Ye Faithful," and a practice run through the more complicated parts of the "Messiah."

As Kunkel directed the orchestra, Dr. Carl Gilmer faced the enthusiastic audience/chorus and led them through their parts.

While the audience enjoyed singing the more familiar parts of Handel's "Messiah," they were also well entertained by the fine performance of the four guest soloists.

Gilmer, director of music and organist at Galilee Episcopal Church in Virginia Beach, along with his responsibilities as song leader, started out the program with his warm tenor voice.

He was followed by John Reinhardt, and his deep bass voice. Reinhardt, also a resident of Virginia Beach, has performed in all four of the Messiah Sing-Alongs.

Lorraine Jackson and City Councilwoman Barbara Henley sang the rest of the solos and then combined for a final duet. Their contralto and soprano voices played off one another well and

set the stage for the grande finale, the famed "Hallelujah" chorus.

As the time neared for this last section, you could feel the excitement build in the concert hall. This is what the event is all about.

After the last note was sung, the audience broke into a warm and long applause in appreciation for the wonderful performance.

Donations totaling \$535 given after the event went to the Joy Fund. The event was sponsored by the City of Virginia Beach through the Arts and Humanities Commission.



**Top left and above** young and old alike came to sing and enjoy the Messiah Sing-Along. Eight-week old Adam Barr rests as his mother Beth sings. Below left, Director David Kunkel (right) directs the Virginia Beach Community Orchestra while Dr. Carl Gilmer leads the audience/chorus.

Photos by James D. Barr

**Police seek clues in unsolved murder**

On Saturday morning, December 6, at 8 a.m., the body of 54-year-old Carole Morrison was found by a local fisherman floating in Hell's Creek in the Sandbridge section of Virginia Beach. Her throat had been cut.

Crime Solvers is offering a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest of the person responsible for this murder.

Mrs. Morrison was seen Wednesday, December 5, around 4:45 p.m. at the 7-Eleven store in the 3900 block of Atlantic Avenue.

Anyons with information about this murder should call Crime Solvers at 427-0000. Confidential code numbers are assigned to callers enabling them to provide information without giving their name or testifying in court.



Carole Morrison

**Community News****Beach Genealogical Society meets**

The Virginia Beach Genealogical Society will meet on Thursday, Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the library of the Church of the Latter Day Saints (Mormon) on Princess Anne Road and Edwin Drive in order to see a film about their record holdings.

Ruth Jones will conduct a tour of the library and will answer questions.

The public is invited. For information call 340-6373.

**Teens may learn first aid at Leigh Memorial**

Virginia Beach teens can learn basic first aid techniques for handling minor injuries on Thursday, Jan. 8 at Leigh Memorial Hospital.

The class, which will be presented by the American Red Cross, will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the hospital's classrooms.

Part of a series to help adolescents prepare for adulthood, the free session is sponsored by the Pediatric Unit at Leigh Memorial Hospital. The classes are designed for adolescents ages 12 through 18. Parental consent is required.

For more information or to register, call 466-6837 from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays.

**Graphics firm receives award**

Progressive Graphics, Inc., a Virginia Beach printing firm, received an Award of Excellence in the Printing Industry of

Virginia's 1986 Graphic Communications Competition for excellence in production of stationery and stationery sets. The design was done by Greater Creators, Inc. for Dare Associates.

**Fleet Reserve Association January meeting set**

Kempsville Branch 99, Fleet Reserve Association and Unit 99, Ladies Auxiliary, Fleet Reserve Association, will hold their scheduled monthly meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 14 at 206 Jersey Avenue, Virginia Beach.

All members and interested people are encouraged to attend.

Items of interest to be discussed will be the deteriorating benefits of the retired and active duty personnel of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard.

For more information call 499-6650.

**Linhorn Park club to meet on January 9**

The Linhorn Park Garden Club will meet on Friday, Jan. 9, 1987 at 11 a.m. at the Princess Anne Country Club.

Mrs. B.C. Cristian will present a program on "Silks for the fun

of it."

Members are asked to bring arrangements using dried or treated material with the theme "Lasting Beauty," and horticulture specimens of evergreen shrubbery or houseplants. Arrangements and horticulture specimens will be judged.

**Council acts on recovery fees**

An ordinance which would have lowered the water resource

recovery fees established in January was removed from a recent City Council meeting agenda.

The fees take the place of the developer line fee and are based on the number of drainage fixture units in new construction.

The proposed ordinance recommends a reduction from \$95 to \$75 per drainage fixture Jan. 1, 1987 and afterward.

The fee from Jan. 6 to June 30 was \$32 per fixture and from July 1 to Dec. 31, \$63 a fixture. The object of the new fees was to collect \$2,383 per average account toward supplying funds needed for the Lake Gaston Water supply project. According to City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck, research has indicated that the \$2,383 figure could be reached with the \$75 fee.

Builders have opposed the fees because of the increased cost it would add to new construction.

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**City Council News****S.P.C.A. and Beach veterinarians discuss new site**

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Constance Pozniak, representing the South Hampton Roads Veterinarians Association, said she was concerned about the animal hospital. The hospital, she said would be in violation of the State charter.

Several years ago when the shelter had attempted to operate a clinic in connection with the shelter to care for the lost or unwanted animals, the veterinarians sued and won in Circuit Court. The State Supreme Court upheld

the decision of the lower court, that the S.P.C.A. would be in violation of its charter if it operated a hospital.

Pozniak also said that five veterinarians are located in the vicinity of the new site. She also questioned the need for a 10,000-square foot building for 115 animals, when she can care for 75 dogs and cats in 3300 square feet. She said that if the individual veterinarian wants to set up an office on the S.P.C.A. property, the applications should be handled separately.

Mayor Robert G. Jones asked her whether Council was the appropriate forum to raise questions. "This is just for the use of land," he said.

"Are you saying that the veterinarians in the area provide medical care to the animals gratis?" asked Vice Mayor Meyera Oberndorf. Oberndorf said that when she heard the earlier debate (which led to the court suit) she understood that the only reason the S.P.C.A. tried to get a veterinarian in the

facility was to care for animals in the shelter.

She said that some people in the community like to adopt animals but cannot afford veterinarian fees. She said the elderly with fixed incomes and parents who want to get pets for their children may in this category.

Pozniak said that she did not give free care, that she could not afford to, but that she has given discounts.

Dr. James Kollar, said that the sign on the property advertising the use permit application was misleading in that the hospital was not mentioned. He opposed

the hospital permit, and said he hoped that "they don't want to get involved in competing."

He asked whether the S.P.C.A. needed the new site if they did not want to expand and have a hospital. "I don't want my tax money to be used against me," he said.

Dr. Joe McKinney said he had no objection to the relocation, but only to the request for an animal hospital. Make it a separate item, he said.

Judy Cofield, an attorney representing the South Hampton Roads Veterinarians Association, also mentioned the Supreme Court decision. She said never

did the S.P.C.A. give medical services free, and that prior to the litigation, did not restrict activities to indigents. She said the S.P.C.A. accepted "Master Charge, Visa, gold or green, no matter."

She said the S.P.C.A. did not tell the truth when applying for the permit. She said that her clients were not permitted to see the lease which would be offered to the veterinarian. The S.P.C.A. by law is not permitted to have residential or commercial kennels, she said.

**Traffic violations continue to increase**

Citing drivers for disregarding a traffic signal or a stop sign has increased, but the number of violations are increasing at an even faster pace, according to Police Chief Charles Wall.

Councilman Albert Balko recently remarked on the apparent high number of drivers going through yellow lights and asked City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck to look into the enforcement of the traffic violations.

A report submitted by Wall shows that during the period from Jan. 1 through Nov. 1 enforcement of these two traffic laws have actually increased for 1986 as compared to 1985. However, he said, the significant increase in the volume of traffic, particularly at controlled intersections has resulted in a greater number of these violations so that while more drivers are being

cited, a larger number of violations are occurring that are undetected.

In 1985, 2,113 summonses were issued for disregarding a traffic signal and 920 for disregarding a stop sign. The total number of summonses issued for moving violations was 33,992.

Of the violations in 1986, 2,665 were for disregarding a traffic

signal and 1,404 for disregarding a stop sign. The total number of moving violations this year was 33,992.

Figures indicate, said Wall, a 26 percent increase in the enforcement of violations for disregarding a traffic signal and 53 percent increase for disregarding a stop sign, and a 20 percent increase in the enforcement of all moving violations.

**City considering more City Hall land**

City Council recently authorized City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck to negotiate a contract for third-party financing for the purchase of 74.77 acres of land adjoining the Municipal Center at an estimated cost of \$5,492,116.

Financing proposals from the Bank of Virginia and the First Union Leasing Group are being

considered.

The property includes 36.77 acres authorized for acquisition July 7 at a cost of \$4,492,116, and 38 acres which the owner has offered for sale to the city for \$1 million by Dec. 31.

The land is expected to be paid for by the sale of city-owned land adjacent to Route 44, Baxter Road and the proposed flyover.

**Sports****Thomas named to VIC football-squad**

Frank Thomas son of Frank H. Thomas, 1234 Eaglewood Drive, Virginia Beach, was named to the 1986 All-Virginia Independent Conference (VIC) football squad while playing with the Hargrave Military Academy team.

Thomas was the VIC's leading scorer with 77 points. He led the Hargrave Military Academy Tigers in rushing yards (785) and total carries (131) which resulted in 11 touchdowns and a 5.99 yards-per-carry average.

He also had five pass receptions for 116 yards, five point-after-touchdown conversions. His 77-point total matched the entire 1985 HMA team scoring.

His coach, Mike Smith, said



Thomas  
that even though Thomas was the smallest player on the varsity, his quickness made him a threat on every play. He also praised Thomas for his ability on kick returns and as a defensive back.

**Cox grad makes JMU swim team**

Kim Dustin of Virginia Beach is a member of the 1986-87 James Madison University women's swimming team.

A freshman, she swims backstroke and freestyle races for the Dukes.

Dustin is a graduate of Frank Cox High School and formerly competed for the Old Dominion Aquatic Club.

JMU enters the holiday break with a 4-1 dual meet record.



Cox  
and 500-yard freestyle events and came back to take third in the 100-yard freestyle.

She recorded a time of 1:55.35 in the 200-yard freestyle and a 50.92 in the 500-yard free, less than one second in front of a Harvard teammate. The Harvard Crimson, now 4-0 overall and 2-0 Ivy, won the meet, 166-102.

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COMMISSION OF GAME AND INLAND FISHERIES  
Glenn R. Croshaw, Chairman

**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
PUBLIC HEARINGS  
REGARDING  
STATE AGENCY REGULATIONS**

Notice is given, in compliance with Section 9.5-127 of the Code of Virginia, that the following public hearing regarding proposed state agency regulations will be held to afford the public with an opportunity to express views.

The Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries has ordered to be published, pursuant to Sections 29-125, 29-126 and 29-127 of the Code of Virginia, that the proposed addition to new Commission regulations VR 325-02-24, Section 17, applicable East of I-95; and Section 18, Statewide. A public hearing on the advisability of adopting the proposed regulations, or any part thereof, and an advisory vote on the proposed regulations, if amended as a result of the public hearing, the Commission may adopt such proposals at that time, acting upon the proposals separately or in block.

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**NOTICE OF  
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The Virginia Beach Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on January 7, 1987, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council

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33, Shore Realty, 75th Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Shores, 904 Norfleet Road, Kempsville Borough.

Case 9. James B. and Lucyelle S. Farrell request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool). Lot 38, Block D, Section 3, Chantelwane Lakes, 1916 Blue Knob Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 10. Dr. P. W. Handy requests a variance of 5 feet to a 15 foot front yard setback instead of 20 feet as required (screened porch) on Lot 14, Block 11, Section D, Cape Henry, 113 82nd Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 11. Malcolm Little requests a variance of 12 feet to an 8 foot front yard setback (7th Street) instead of 20 feet as required (screened porch) on Lot 137, Section Three, Timberlake, 4236 Butterwood Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 12. Thomas and Alva Powers request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 29, Section 3, Red Mill Farm, 1112 Block Hall Drive, Princess Anne Borough.

Case 13. Mr. and Mrs. Michael P. Lamkine request a variance of 4 feet to a 26 foot front yard setback instead of 30 feet as required (cantilevered 2nd floor addition) on Lot 419, Block 2, Case Story by the Sea, 2232 Oak Street, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 14. Terrence W. Bobbink by Bradley K. Stanton, PC request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - detached garage) on Lot 26, Section 1, Larkspur, 4704 Larkspur Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 15. Mark and Barbara McDermott request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (swimming pool) on Lot 212, Section Two, Part C, Bellamy Woods, 1200 Harford Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 16. Patricia S. Walker requests a variance of 7 feet to a 13 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 8 feet as required (garage) on a Parcel, North Alanton, 1413 N. Woodhouse Road, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 17. Melton L. Evans requests a variance of 2.6 feet to a 7.4 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - storage shed) on Lot 33, Ballylawn Court, Kempsville Borough.

Case 18. Thomas A. Barton, Jr., Beach Ford, Inc. requests a variance of 7 signs to 10 signs instead of 3 signs as allowed and 5 free-standing signs to 6 free-standing signs instead of 1 free-standing sign as allowed and for 1 free-standing sign to be 30 feet in height and for 3 free-standing signs to be 16.5 feet in height instead of 12 feet in height each as allowed and to waive the required 75 square feet of landscaping required at the base of each free-standing sign on a Parcel, 2717 Beach Boulevard, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 19. Triton Incorporation/c/o John E. Sirine and Associates requests a variance to allow a curb cut to be 45 feet in width instead of 35 feet in width as allowed on a portion of Lots 1 and 2, Parcel D, Section 4, Aragona, 4873 Witchduck Road, Bayside Borough.

Case 20. A. M. Hodgson request a variance of 2 feet to an 8 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 1.5 feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 6 feet as previously approved by the Board of Zoning Appeals (June 19, 1983) (cantilevered 2nd story) on Lots 17 and 19, Block 9, Section E, Cape Henry, 6907 A and B Atlantic Avenue, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 21. A. M. Hodgson requests a variance of 3 feet 6 inches to a 4 foot 6 inch side yard adjacent to a street (7th Street) instead of 18 feet as required (2nd story decks) and of 2 feet to an 8 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 1.7 feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 6.2 feet as previously approved by the Board of Zoning Appeals (June 19, 1983) (cantilevered 2nd story) on Lots 17 and 19, Block 9, Section E, Cape Henry, 6907 A and B Atlantic Avenue, Lynnhaven Borough.

Case 22. Cox Cable T.V. of Tidewater, Inc. requests a variance of 9 feet to a 16 foot setback from the north property line instead of 25 feet as required for a commercial antenna on a 1.82 acre parcel, Area 1, Commerce Park, 5200 Cleveland Street, Bayside Borough.

Case 23. Robert R. Bird requests a variance of 9 feet to a 1 foot side and rear yard setbacks (northwest corner) instead of 10 feet each as required (accessory building - storage shed) and of 2 feet each as required (accessory building - storage shed) on Lot 33, Ballylawn

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A special edition of CITY COUNCIL REPORTS, Criticale 29's monthly mail-in program, will air live on Wednesday, Jan. 7 at 7 p.m.

The first half of this one-hour show will be a fast-paced video recap of the past year in Virginia Beach, and the second half will answer call-in questions about City topics and issues.

Hosting the program with Mayor Robert Jones will be Vice Mayor Meyera Oberndorf and City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck.

For citizens who are unable to watch the live airing, CITY COUNCIL REPORTS will be rebroadcast on Thursday, Jan. 8 at 9:30 a.m. and 9:30 p.m.; Friday, Jan. 9 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 10 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Jan. 11 at 11:30 p.m. and 11:30 p.m.

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feet in fence height to a 6 foot fence instead of a 4 foot fence as allowed in a required side yard adjacent to a street (Cannone Road) on Lot 1, Block D, Section 4, Brigadier Pines, 1613 Pennywhistle Arch, Kempsville Borough.

## PREFERRED AGENDA:

Case 1. Richard A. Muskovac requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 2, Site 1, Pinewood Cove, Townhouses, 953 Maryland Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough.

## APPEAL AGENDA:

Case 1. Boyd Homes c/o John E. Sirinek requests an appeal of the Zoning Administrator's determination in reference to allowed unit density.

All applicants must appear before the board!

\*\*Please Note: If no one appears before the board to represent the applicant, the variance could be denied!

Paul N. Sutton  
Secretary  
303-921-1231 VB

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be heard in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, January 12, 1987, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

## CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION: PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of Aqua Sports, Inc. for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-1 Apartment District to P-1 Preservation District on certain property located 880 feet more or less West of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1800 feet more or less North of S. Birdneck Road. Said parcel contains 2.93 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

## BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of Ernest L. & Phyllis A. Hudson for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-3 Central-Business District to L-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the South side of Cleveland Street beginning at a point 800 feet more or less West of Aragona Boulevard. Said parcel contains 14,984.64 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

## CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT: BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Brook Baptist Church for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a church addition on the South side of Wishart Road, 1170 feet more or less West of N. Witchduck Road. Said parcel is located at 4397 Wishart Road and contains 6 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

## 4. An Ordinance upon Application of the Salvation Army, a Georgia Corporation, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a rehabilitation center/sanitorium on Lots 13, 14, and the Western 55 feet of Lot 15, Milburn Manor. Said parcel is located at 5560 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 3.5 acres. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

## VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH:

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Beach Crab Associates for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for multiple family dwellings in the C-1 Arts and Conference District on certain property located on the West side of Cypress Avenue beginning at a point 50 feet North of 18th Street. Said parcels are located at 1807 and 1811 Cypress Avenue and contain 1.1 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Owl's Creek Golf Center, Inc. for a CON-

DITIONAL USE: PERMIT for recreational facilities of an outdoor nature (executive golf course) on the West side of S. Birdneck Road beginning at a point 1700 feet more or less North of Bells Road. Said parcel is located at 415 S. Birdneck Road and contains 41 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC  
City Clerk  
303-721-1231 VB

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Virginia Beach Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 13, 1987 at 12:00 Noon in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Princess Anne Courthouse, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

A briefing session will be held at 9:00 a.m. in the Planning Department Conference Room, Operations Building. Planning Commission action is not a final determination of the application, but only a recommendation to the City Council as the viewpoint of the Planning Commission.

Final determination of the application is to be made by City Council at a later date, after Public Notice in a newspaper having general circulation within the city.

Those members of the public interested in attending the Public Hearing should be advised that, for reasons the Planning Commission deems appropriate, certain items on the agenda may be heard out of order and that it should not be assumed that the order listed below will be exactly followed during the Public Hearing.

The staff reviews of some or all of the items on this agenda suggest that certain conditions be attached to approval by City Council. However, it should not be assumed that those conditions constitute all the conditions that will ultimately be attached to the project. Staff agencies may impose further conditions and requirements during administration of applicable city ordinances.

## REGULAR AGENDA:

## SUBDIVISION AGENDA:

1. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for James H. and Rosemarie Sherrod. Property is located at 4708 Hollis Road. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

2. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Richard L. Bartel. Property is located at the Southeast corner of London Bridge Road and Terrell Avenue. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Harold A. Delong and Florence Delong for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from R-5 Residential District to B-4 Residential Commercial District on certain property located on the North side of 22nd Street, 180 feet West of Baltic Avenue. Said parcel is located at 507 22nd Street and contains 6,500 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

4. An Ordinance upon Application of Myung K. Lee for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2 Community-Business District to B-3 Central-Business District on certain property located on the East side of Parliament Drive, 170 feet North of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 328 Parliament Drive and contains 10,454.4 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Gilliam Group Associates for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-1 Apartment District to B-2 Community-Business District on Part of Lot 38, Oceanus Gardens. Said parcel is located at 1328 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 7840 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Gilliam Group Associates for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-1 Apartment District to B-2 Community-Business District on Part of Lots 38, Oceanus Gardens. Said parcel is located at 1328 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains

3.35 acres. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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7. An Ordinance upon Application of Richard M. Waitzer, T/A Professional Center, for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from A-2 Apartment District to O-1 Office District on certain property located at the Northwest corner of First Colonial Road and Old Donation Parkway. Said parcel contains 1,584 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Sotiris A. and Martha Karageorge for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2 Community-Business District to I-1 Light Industrial District on the East side of Chestnut Avenue, 530 feet more or less South of Bonney Road on 1A, Lots 1-4, Parts of Lots 15, 16 and 17, and Lots 29-35, Block C, Plat of Rosemont. Said parcels contain 1.77 acres. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Robert W. White, Sr., Trustee for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from AG-1 Agricultural District to R-5 Residential District on certain property located at the Western extremity of Dame Neck Road, 1600 feet West of General Booth Boulevard. Said parcel contains 148 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Mary Frances Melvin Hartley and Peter Ray Hartley for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from AG-2 Agricultural District to O-1 Office District on the East side of General Booth Boulevard, 810 feet more or less North of Red Mill Boulevard. Said parcel is located at 2008 General Booth Boulevard and contains 1.59 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

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PERMIT for a gasoline station and car wash at the Southwest corner of General Booth Boulevard and Dam Neck Road. Said parcel contains 41.382 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

25. An Ordinance upon Application of Porpoise Enterprises, a Virginia General Partnership, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for off-site commercial parking lot on certain property located at the Northwest corner of 19th Street and Cypress Avenue. Said parcel is variable in width from 61.56 feet to 74.50 feet and contains 10,467 square feet more or less. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

26. An Ordinance upon Application of Porpoise Enterprises, a Virginia General Partnership, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a car wash, jiffy lube and gas station in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the Southeast corner of Shore Drive and Vista Circle. Said parcel contains 2.28 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

36. An Ordinance upon Application of Ike & Don for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a car wash, jiffy lube and gas station in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the Southeast corner of Shore Drive and Vista Circle. Said parcel contains 2.28 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. VIRGINIA BEACH BOROUGH.

37. Application of Lakeside Construction Corporation for the reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a Conditional Use Permit for a borrow pit on June 9, 1980. Property is located 3328.97 feet East of Oceana Boulevard, 2150 feet North of Painters Lane. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

38. An Ordinance upon Application of Olive W. Malbon for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from AG-2 Agricultural District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the West side of Harpers Road, 1900 feet more or less North of London Bridge Road. Said parcel contains 13.33 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

39. An Ordinance upon Application of Robert M. Stanton for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a borrow pit on certain property located on the North side of Indian River Road, 2700 feet more or less East of Elbow Road. Said parcel contains 69 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED FOR 30 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON DECEMBER 9, 1986:

39. An Ordinance upon Application of U.S. Fiberglass Products, Inc. and Porpoise Enterprise, a Virginia General Partnership for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for the sale of sailing and wave riding boards, equipment and accessories at the Northeast corner of 19th Street and Cypress Avenue on Lots 17, 18 and remainder of Lots 19 and 20, Block 37, Virginia Beach Development Corporation. Said parcel contains 26,136 square feet. STREETS CLOSURE:

39. Application of Dominion Building Corporation for the discontinuation, closure and abandonment of a portion of Dwyer Road beginning at a point 455.5 feet Southwest of the intersection of Dame Neck Road and running in a Westerly direction a distance of 2782.7 feet. Said street is 40 feet in width and contains 2.553 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

39. An Ordinance upon Application of Robert R. Beasley ET AL, W. Cecil Carpenter for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for Recreational Facility of an Outdoor Nature (golf driving range) on Parcel 466 and 466A located on the West side of South Birdneck Road, 370 feet South of Beautiful Street. Said parcel contains 11.375 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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39. An Ordinance upon Application of Resort Developments for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for automobile repairs on certain property located at the Southwest corner of Virginia Beach Boulevard and Shipp's Lane. Said parcel contains 9425 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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prehensive Zoning Ordinance pertaining to fence requirements relating to fences and walls. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. DEFERRED FOR 60 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON NOVEMBER 12, 1986:

35. Application of Michael R. Mascia, II, for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of an unnamed street located at the Western terminus of 12th Street beginning at a point 110 feet more or less North of Norfolk Avenue. Said parcel is variable in width from 61.56 feet to 74.50 feet and contains 10,467 square feet more or less. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BEACH BOROUGH.

36. An Ordinance upon Application of Ike & Don for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a car wash, jiffy lube and gas station in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the Southeast corner of Shore Drive and Vista Circle. Said parcel contains 2.28 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BEACH BOROUGH.

36. An Ordinance upon Application of Olive W. Malbon for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a bulk storage yard (recreational vehicles) on certain property located on the West side of Harper's Road, 1956 feet more or less North of London Bridge Road. Said parcel contains 28,620.8 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

37. Application of Lakeside Construction Corporation for the reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a Conditional Use Permit for a borrow pit on June 9, 1980. Property is located 3328.97 feet East of Oceana Boulevard, 2150 feet North of Painters Lane. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

38. An Ordinance upon Application of Robert M. Stanton for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a borrow pit on certain property located on the North side of Indian River Road, 2700 feet more or less East of Elbow Road. Said parcel contains 69 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED FOR 30 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON DECEMBER 9, 1986:

39. An Ordinance upon Application of U.S. Fiberglass Products, Inc. and Porpoise Enterprise, a Virginia General Partnership, for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for the sale of sailing and wave riding boards, equipment and accessories at the Northeast corner of 19th Street and Cypress Avenue on Lots 17, 18 and remainder of Lots 19 and 20, Block 37, Virginia Beach Development Corporation. Said parcel contains 26,136 square feet. STREET CLOSURE:

39. Application of Dominion Building Corporation for the discontinuation, closure and abandonment of a portion of Dwyer Road beginning at a point 455.5 feet Southwest of the intersection of Dame Neck Road and running in a Westerly direction a distance of 2782.7 feet. Said street is 40 feet in width and contains 2.553 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

39. An Ordinance upon Application of Robert R. Beasley ET AL, W. Cecil Carpenter for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for a Recreational Facility of an Outdoor Nature (golf driving range) on Parcel 466 and 466A located on the West side of South Birdneck Road, 370 feet South of Beautiful Street. Said parcel contains 11.375 acres. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

39. An Ordinance upon Application of Resort Developments for a CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT for automobile repairs on certain property located at the Southwest corner of Virginia Beach Boulevard and Shipp's Lane. Said parcel contains 9425 square feet. Plots with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

39. An Ordinance upon Application of Gillian Group Associates for a CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION from B-2 Community-Business District to A-2 Apartment District on certain property located on the West side of Centerline Turnpike. Said parcel is located at 1328 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 6.03 acres. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

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## Stihl appoints Alexander as financial reporting manager

Robert B. Alexander, Jr. has joined Stihl Incorporated as manager of financial reporting.

Alexander comes to Stihl after operating his own certified public accounting practice. Prior to this, he was the controller with Royster Company.

At Stihl, Alexander is responsible for coordinating the preparation of the corporate financial reports, including budgets and forecasts, as well as supervising general accounting, accounts

receivable, accounts payable, and foreign exchange gains and losses.

A native of Dallas, Texas, Alexander received his Bachelor of Business Administration from Texas Tech University. He continues his studies with Post Baccalaureate work at the College of William and Mary. Alexander completed his studies by receiving a Masters of Business Administration from Old Dominion University.

### Romska promoted to Director of Client Services

Gary W. Romska of Virginia Beach has been promoted to director of client services at Davis & Phillips.

Romska was promoted from account group manager a position held since he joined the agency last January. His new responsibilities will include supervision of the agency's Media Department, and the management of Davis & Phillips' automotive accounts, which include the five dealerships of the

Kline Group and the Hampton Roads Chrysler/Plymouth Dealers Association.

Prior to joining Davis & Phillips, Romska served as an account executive with Hank Fossberg, Inc., in Virginia Beach, where he handled advertising for the American Motors Dealers Association.

Romska holds a bachelor of arts degree in advertising and marketing from Michigan State University.

### Kent Weber receives Governor's Award for excellence in emergency medical services

Kent J. Weber of Virginia Beach has been awarded the first annual Virginia "Governor's Award for Excellence in Emergency Medical Services"'

The award was announced at the Seventh Annual State Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Symposium held recently in Richmond.



### Hall of Fame Inductees

Employees inducted into the City Hall of Fame are, from left to right, L. David Little, Elizabeth Hett and Leonard A. Kandrot.

### Three lucky people

### Virginia Beach employees inducted into City Hall of Fame

Three City of Virginia Beach employees recently received special awards during the City's Service Awards program.

**Leonard Kandrot, Elizabeth K. Lett, and L. David Little** were inducted into the City Employee Hall of Fame. This award is special, because employees from throughout the city are nominated, then chosen by a committee of their peers. The recognition is designed to showcase those employees who truly "go the extra mile" in their hard work and dedication to the city.

"I am extremely impressed by the outstanding qualities each winner portrays," said City Manager Thomas H. Muehlenbeck as he gave out the awards.

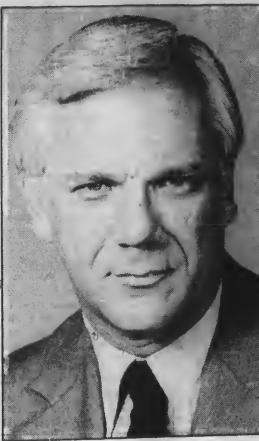
**Leonard Kandrot** is a distribution clerk for the Mail Distribution Bureau in General Services. His duties center around delivering the city's mail and he is a familiar sight around the Municipal Complex. He is

well known for the special little things he does, like putting the mail in plastic bags he brings from home to protect it on rainy days, and the way he often delivers Print Shop and other materials around the complex on his lunch hour. He even keeps the city's prisoners in mind by bringing them old magazines to look through.

As one of the letters nominating him states, "Len is truly an asset to the city. He always has a ready smile and cheerful attitude when he brings our mail to us. We never have to worry about getting correspondence out on time when Len is on the job."

Echoes another nomination form, "His attitude of 'What can I do to help?' and ability to provide that help in a timely fashion marks him as a valuable contributor in making government work in the city of Virginia Beach."

The next Hall of Fame induc-



Romska



Alexander

### Frederick Hurwitt

elected to AICPA

Frederick S. Hurwitt, CPA, a supervisory senior in the Virginia Beach office of Rauch, Witt & Company, has been elected to membership in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

### Back Bay News

### Wildlife Refuge workshop to be held

A children's workshop entitled Winter Feeding and Foods for Birds will be offered at Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge on Sunday, Jan. 18 at 1:30 p.m.

The workshop will introduce youngsters to the food requirements of wild birds and will offer suggestions on how to make, select, and place bird houses and feeders in areas where birds will utilize them. Children will have an opportunity to construct a feeder from natural or throw-away materials.

The workshop, which will last until 3 p.m. is open to all in-



Show (L) receiving the Governor's Award for Outstanding EMS Agency in the Commonwealth is Virginia Beach EMS Director Bruce W. Edwards. Handing him the award is Deputy Secretary for Human Resources Maston T. Jacks, as Director of Virginia Emergency Medical Services Susan McHenry looks on.

### Virginia Beach Emergency Medical Service named state's Outstanding EMS Agency

The Virginia Beach Division of Emergency Medical Services recently received the Governor's Award.

Named as the Outstanding EMS Agency for the Commonwealth of Virginia, the city's 11 all-volunteer rescue squads were noted for their many innovations in the area of pre-hospital patient care.

Recognized in the Jan. 1986 edition of the Journal of Emergency Medical Service as the only all-volunteer rescue service among the nation's one hundred most populous cities, Virginia Beach's EMS is also known for several "firsts" in the Commonwealth.

"We're pleased to receive this statewide recognition of our program. It's the end result of countless hours of dedication by over 500 members," said EMS Director Bruce W. Edwards.

interested children - there is no age restriction. Reservations are required and participants will be asked to bring specific items such as scissors, pine cones, soda containers, and apples or oranges to the workshop.

Due to space limitation, only twenty children can be accommodated. Reservations will be made on a first call, first served basis.

For additional information, and to make reservations, contact the Refuge at (804) 721-2412.

### Trapping bids to be accepted at Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge

In an effort to enhance waterfowl production and to reduce damage to refuge dikes from muskrat and nutria activities, Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge will be open again this year to fur bearer trapping of muskrat, nutria, and raccoon.

Manager Anthony D. Leger announced today that sealed bids will be accepted from the public until 1 p.m. on Jan. 5. Bids will be accepted for all fur trapping units.

Units II, III, and IV are located on marsh islands within Back Bay and Unit I is located on the refuge peninsula south of Sandbridge.

Trapping in Units II, III, and IV will begin on Jan. 17 and will continue on March 10. Unit I will be open to trapping from Jan. 5 through March 10.

A minimum refundable bid of

\$25.00 has been established for each of the four 1,000 acre units with trapping privileges to be awarded to the individual submitting the highest sealed bid.

Bids will be opened at the Refuge headquarters at 4005 Sandpiper Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia, at 1 p.m. on Jan. 5. Interested persons are welcome to attend the bid opening.

Individuals interested in submitting a bid must obtain an information packet, complete a bid form and include their deposit in the form of a cashier's check, money order, or certified check made out to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

For additional information or to obtain an information packet and bid form, contact the Refuge at (804) 721-2412 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Back Bay Wildlife Refuge early morning waterfowl walk

Local birder Bob Anderson will lead an early morning waterfowl walk at Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge on Sunday, January 11, at 8 a.m.

The walk will begin from the Visitor Contact Station located at 4005 Sandpiper Road in Virginia Beach and will last approximately three hours.

The four mile walk, which is free of charge, will provide op-

portunities for viewing snow geese, tundra swans, and ducks as well as songbirds and other shorebirds.

Participants should dress warmly and bring binoculars and bird books to fully enjoy the event. For additional information, contact the Refuge at (804) 721-2412, Monday - Friday from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Reservations are not required.

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